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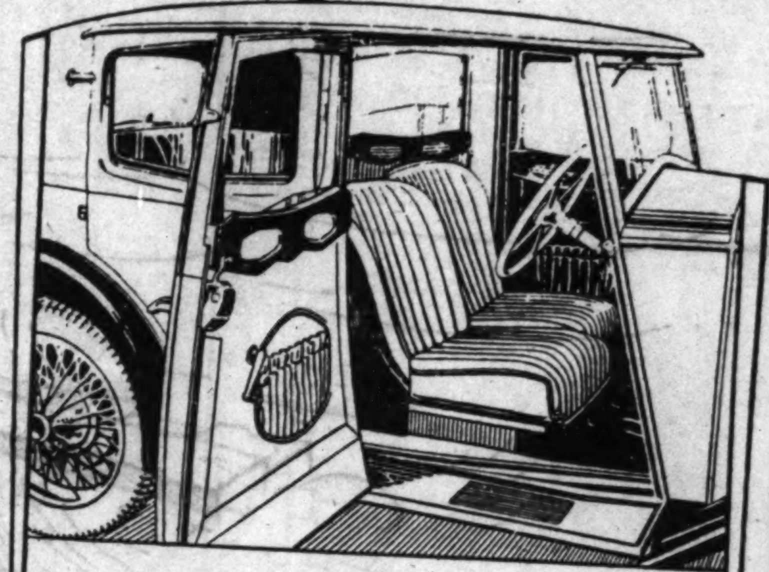

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MURPHY and HENNEY—March 26, 1932, at St. Lawrence's Church, 4340 East 72nd street, Chicago, U.S.A., by the Rev. F. R. Corley, James, youngest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Murphy, Conyngham road, Dublin, to Kathleen, third daughter of Mrs. and the late John Heeney, Spencer street, Fairview.

DEATHS.

BERRY—April 21, 1932, at his son's residence, Cullen, Wicklow, Samuel Shannon Berry. "There remaineth, therefore, a rest to the people of God," Hebrews iv. 9. Funeral to-day (Saturday) at 2 o'clock, Dungannon. No flowers.

BUCKLEY—April 22, 1932, at her residence, Woodville, Sandford road, Dublin, Elizabeth, daughter of the late Benjamin Buckley, Ballydonagh, and dearly beloved wife of Edmondsuff, County Dublin. Funeral leaving her residence at 2 o'clock on Monday to Kilternan churchyard.

CAHILL—April 22, 1932, at his residence, 4 Oulanda terrace, Terenure, Dublin, James Paul Cahill, deeply regretted by sorrowing father, mother, brother, and sister. R.I.P. Funeral (private), after 10 o'clock Mass, Terenure, Monday morning.

CUNNINGHAM—April 21, 1932, at a Nursing Home, Dublin, James Cunningham, Lamberton House, Arklow. Funeral to-day (Saturday) from St. Saviour's Church, Arklow, at 2.30 p.m. to New Cemetery. No flowers.

DAVIDSON—April 21, 1932, suddenly, John, the dearly-loved and loving husband of Jeanna Davidson, 6 Waverley terrace, Kenilworth square, Rathgar. "Blessed are the dead that die in the Lord." Funeral at Mount Jerome on Monday morning at 9.30.

GORMAN—April 22, 1932, at his residence, Lissenfea, Boyle, James Gorman, aged 77 years. Funeral to Emlaghfad, Ballymote, to-morrow (Sunday) at 3.30 p.m.

LYNCH—April 22, 1932, at her residence, 39 Upper Leeson street, Margaret, widow of the late Thomas J. Lynch. Deeply mourned. R.I.P. Funeral strictly private. No flowers.

MORROW—April 21, 1932, at Seamount Nursing Home, Galway, Edith, elder and dearly-beloved daughter of William and Mary Morrow, Newton Buildings, Roundstone. "At rest."

POWER—April 21, 1932, at the Mater Hospital, after an operation, John J. Power (Jack), second eldest son of the late Benjamin Powers, Robinstown, Levinge, Mullingar. "Thy will be done." Funeral from All Saints' Church to Moyliscar at 2.30 to-day (Saturday).

ROONEY—April 22, 1932, at her residence, Baltrasna, Ashbourne, County Meath, Julia Rooney. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Remains will be removed to Ashbourne R.C. Church at 4 o'clock this day (Saturday). Funeral to-morrow (Sunday) at 3 o'clock (old time) to family burial ground, Palmerstown.

WHITE—April 22, 1932, at Mercer's Hospital, Alice Maud, the dearly-loved wife of Joseph White, Shankill. "Peace, perfect peace." Funeral from hospital at 10.30 on Monday morning to Dean's Grange.

WRAY—April 21, 1932, at her residence, Creagar, County Down, Maria J., dearly-beloved wife of Samuel Wray. Funeral to Kilmore Churchyard to-morrow (Sunday), 24th, at 3 p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this column will be found on Page 8.

IN MEMORIAM.

BERESFORD—In ever-loving memory of John W. Beresford, Editor of *Daily Express*, who entered rest on April 23rd, 1914.

BYRNE—Third Anniversary—In sad and loving memory of our dear mother, Rosanna Byrne, Shanganagh Hotel, Shankill, who departed this life on April 23rd, 1929. Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on her soul.

ELLIOTT—In loving memory of our darling mother, who fell asleep on the 23rd April, 1931, at 121 Capel street, Dublin. Sadly missed by her loving children, Herbert, Cherry, Mollie, and Alice.
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When life's short years are past,
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GRAHAM—In sad and loving memory of Robert Graham, 16 Edenvale road, Ranelagh, died on 23rd April, 1931. Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on him. Inserted by his sorrowful wife and family.

HENDERSON—In loving memory of my mother, Helena, called Home on 23rd April, 1931. "Where I am, there shall also My servant be."—Bob.

HONEYMAN—Seventh Anniversary — In ever-fresh and loving memory of our darling mother, who finished this life on 23rd April, 1925. "Until the day break."

McLEOD—In loving remembrance of my dear mother, Catherine McLeod, who died on April 23rd, 1930, at her residence, 4a Herbert road, Sandymount. "Thy will be done." Inserted by her daughter and grand-daughter.

MAHER—Second Anniversary—In loving memory of our mother, May Maher, aged 45 years, widow of the late Mr. Patrick Maher, of Cashel, who died at her residence, Grey Thorn, Glenageary, Dublin, on April 24th, 1930. Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on her. R.I.P.—Billy, Kitty, Evelyn.

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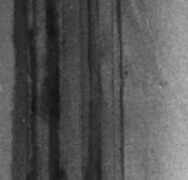

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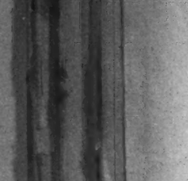

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TURNING THE EGGS.

Writing on this subject in the *Weekly Irish Times*, the Poultry Correspondent says:—

The eggs should be turned daily from the second to the eighteenth day. It used to be thought necessary to turn them twice a day, but many poultry farmers consider once a day sufficient. However, this may be left to the experience of the operator. The necessity for turning is to prevent the germ adhering to the shell by evaporation, and in some machines this may require to be done twice a day. When this is done, they may only be given a half-turn in the morning and the same at night. It is also a good thing occasionally to change the relative position of the eggs in the drawer, those from the centre being placed at the side, and the reverse. Great care should be taken in cold weather that the eggs are not chilled during the turning. They should never be placed in a direct draught when out of the incubator, and they must be handled gently. In large incubators there is now a device for moving and turning a whole row of eggs with one movement, so as to obviate the necessity of much handling. Many advise that the eggs when turned should get an airing, being left out for about five minutes for the first week, increasing it up to twenty minutes during the middle week, and on to the nineteenth day. After this there should be no turning or airing. Most large poultry-keepers have given up the airing; considering that in the process of turning, especially with large machines, they get sufficient air.

ASHFORD Poultry Farm, County Wicklow—White Leghorn Settings 5/-, Chicks 10/- doz., Hens 4/- each, 2/6 extra, use to call for

ALL Colour Budgerigars, Border Canaries, 17/6, 20/-, 25/-; Hens, 5/-; Yorkshires, 6/-, 37/6 couple; Rollers, 25/-, 50/-; Canaries, 5/6; Fanciers' Stores, Upper Ormond quay, Dublin. 20 A

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BOOKS OF THE WEEK.

THE LAST TEN YEARS IN IRELAND.

Ireland Since 1922. By J. M. Hone. London: Faber and Faber. 7/- net.

IN the limited space of thirty-two pages, Mr. Hone covers a good deal of ground, and passes in review nearly all the achievements of a social and political nature that the past ten years have witnessed in the Irish Free State. He does not say very much about events in Northern Ireland.

Taking a broad survey, he sees only three changes in the South—"apart from compulsory Irish, which is of doubtful popularity"—that could not have been effected under the Union—namely, "the law against divorce, the famous literary censorship, and the legalising of sweepstakes." The important transfers made in land ownership are, of course, only an extension of existing legislation, and Mr. Hone considers this whole policy to be economically unsound. "The alternatives are not 'communism' or nationalisation," he says, "but a return to the traditional and sane lines of rural society—landlord, tenant and labourer, even if the landlord must now be large private enterprise, trust or syndicate." This is one of many opinions that will be criticised by the orthodox school, which is all to the good; for the more sides that we hear to every problem the more likely is an intelligent solution. Mr. Hone's book contains a score of original and stimulating views, and every Irishman will find himself in hearty agreement with some of these, and in just as strong disagreement with others.

Incidentally, a curious error has made its way into a paragraph on page 21, referring to the two universities, in which it is stated that they "do not now meet even on the playing-fields." The fact is, of course, that the National University and Trinity College meet as friendly rivals in many sporting events.

SIXTUS V.

History of the Popes. Volumes XXI. and XXII. By Dr. L. Pastor. Edited by R. F. Kerr. London: Kegan Paul, Trench, Trubner and Co., Ltd. 18/- each.

LUDWIG FREIHERR VON PASTOR has done a magnificent piece of historical research and writing in his "History of the Popes," of which Volumes XXI. and XXII. have now been edited in English from the original by Mr. Kerr. The distinguished German Roman Catholic scholar drew his material from the secret archives of the Vatican and a vast number of other original sources. Indeed, it was Dr. Pastor's passion for first-hand information that makes his History so valuable.

In these twenty-two volumes the years 1305-1591 are covered, the period noted for the occurrence therein of the Reformation and the Counter-Reformation. The last two volumes, which we have for review, treat the lives of Sixtus V., Urban VII., Gregory XIV. and Innocent IX., the Popes for the six years, 1585-1591. Of these, Sixtus V. lived for the first five years, and his reign is the most interesting, since he occupied the Papal Throne during the Spanish Armada and the trying time in France at the end of Henry III.'s reign, and the turbulent beginning of Henry IV.'s.

On the subject of the Spanish Armada Dr. Pastor observes that the Spanish optimism and braggadoccio stressed in the histories of Englishmen since the event was not quite so apparent in Spain. Philip II.'s anxiety may be judged by the time that he devoted to prayers. He rose often in the night to this end. Visionaries prophesied disaster to Spain, and the Augustinian, Alonzo de Orozco, reputed to be a saint, predicted that the expedition would be shipwrecked. Elizabeth's armament was no whit inferior to Philip's, but her fleet was far better commanded, the ships better suited to northern waters, and by their greater mobility were superior in broadside combat. It is probable that Sixtus V. shared in the doubt of a Spanish victory, and it is well known that a Spanish victory would not altogether have been welcome to him; for not only was he the head of the Roman Catholic world, and so opposed to the Protestantism of England, but he feared, in the event of Philip's conquest of England, the cæsaropapalism which would result in an upset of the balance of power between France and Spain. For this reason he persisted in his attempt to reconcile Elizabeth to the Roman Church, and so render Philip's political Inquisition unnecessary. In his relationships with Philip and Henry IV. of France the policy of Sixtus V. followed a similar course, but when he was forestalled by a Protestant victory in England, reconciliation brought Henry of Navarre back to Catholicism, and so France was united without Spanish assistance.

FEATHERED FRIENDS.

Friends of Field and Forest. Feathered Friends of Field and Forest. Feathered Friends of Stream and Shore. By Eleanor E. Helme, F.Z.S. London: Religious Tract Society. 2/6 net apiece.

THESE three little books—companion volumes—are intended to introduce to young people some of the wild animals and birds which they may come across in their rambles through the country. The descriptions of the creatures themselves and their habits are delightfully presented. Miss Helme has much to record from personal acquaintance with the beasts and birds, and her descriptions of these experiences, together with the inclusion of some of the more recent additions to our knowledge obtained from other sources, enhance the value of the volumes. For instance, the general and oft-repeated statement that the cuckoo always conveys her egg to the nest of the intended foster parent by carrying it from the ground in her beak is qualified by reference to the experiences of other competent observers that she has been seen to lay her egg in the selected nest.

Despite the small size of the books they contain some excellent coloured plates, which, with points of identification brought out in the text, will enable every species to be identified beyond doubt. Admirable mediums for encouraging an interest in natural history among young people, the volumes can be recommended, and the price is certainly most reasonable.

THEIR HIGHNESSES OF YORK.

Our Duke and Duchess. By Hon. Mrs. Lascelles. London: Hutchinson. 12/6 net.

TRUE admirers of the Royal Family—those who long to know the more intimate details of life as it is lived by the children and the grand-children of King George—will find a good deal that will interest them in this book. The fierce light that beats upon a throne, beats just as fiercely upon those who are in direct succession to that throne, and for some years, it has illumined most of the daily life of the little family at "145 Piccadilly." In the slightly guarded manner of the writer who deals with contemporary royalty, Mrs. Lascelles has gathered together a good deal of what we knew already, and has added to it some things that we did not know, and she has added them very successfully. Readers of her book will feel a real admiration for the grave young Englishman and the charming young Scotswoman, whose sense of duty is so strong, and whose social obligations are so heavy.

THE LIFE OF PATRICK PEARSE.

L'Irlande Militante: La Vie de Patrice Pearse. Commerciale de Bretagne. 1932. 8vo. 335 pp.

Par Louis N. Le Roux. Rennes: Imprimerie 30 francs net.

THIS lengthy, enthusiastic and painstaking work has merits that give it an importance which even greater faults than its author's could not lessen. As a biography of P. H. Pearse it is the most detailed and informative study that has yet appeared in any language. As an original contribution to the recent history of Ireland it is, in part, the most revealing document of our time. It is the labour of a Breton who has identified himself for many years with militant Irish nationalism, and it is at once a tribute to M. Le Roux's wide and generous sympathy and to the appeal of romantic Ireland to the understanding foreigner.

To M. Le Roux, as to many people in Ireland, Pearse is *sans peur et sans reproche*, and no secret is made of his hero worship. M. Le Roux, however, has taken the trouble to find out for himself the causes and the qualities that turned this peace-loving dreamer into the man of revolutionary action. He has looked beneath the surface and analysed—indeed, assimilated—the philosophy which moved the springs of Pearse's action from boyhood days to his death in front of a firing party. This task seldom is undertaken by Irish admirers of Pearse, because they take Pearse, as he took the Irish nation, for granted. The Breton could not take either the man or the thing for granted. He had perforce to find reason for faith and for worship. The reason is uncovered, examined and expanded in this volume and, with some necessary qualifications, it results in a really good book.

Pearse, M. Le Roux has found, from early youth had the ambition to become an educator and leader of a national insurrection, and felt himself destined to begin an Irish revolution. To these ends not only his life and his work were devoted, but also every action of his life and every aspect of his work. M. Le Roux treats of all these aspects in turn and at length, and, in these pages, we have a portrait, as near to truth as biography can make it, of the man himself, of the neo-Gael in action, of the teacher and philosopher, of the writer, poet and artist, of the politician, the rebel, the conspirator, the revolutionary.

Special attention is given—and with good cause—to Pearse's Gaelic writings. From their nature these cannot be as widely or as warmly appreciated as his English work, but they have their value as expressive of his character and genius, and they have no mean place in modern Gaelic literature. In Gaelic literature Pearse was revolutionary too, and his breaking of new ground with a new conception of the short story was as explosive as his political career. Incidentally, it may be noted that his short-lived, but very influential, little weekly paper, *An Barr Buadh*, printed in Roman type, has had neither equal nor successor in Irish.

Here and there are excellent little pen pictures, some of them not lacking in salt, of men like Griffith, MacDonagh, Connolly and Larkin. The re-telling, too, of MacDonagh's bantering of Pearse at a music hall and of Pearse's discovery of the raid on his cottage at Rosmuck are well done, and in one passage there is a most interesting and novel contrast drawn between Pearse and MacSwiney.

In a work of this kind it would be too much to expect freedom from errors of fact and judgment. In this latter respect M. Le Roux is inclined to ignore or to minimise the importance and the achievements of all the elements outside what can be grouped under the term "Irish-Ireland." He is unduly severe on the late Mr. John Redmond and the Parliamentarians, whose record was not so barren as it appears to him. Other less nationalist elements get scant attention from him, and he is neither fair nor accurate when he belittles what he calls the Anglo-Irish school and regards it as dead.

In the matter of dates he nods now and again. Parnell's leadership began much earlier than 1886, and Connolly revealed himself as a separatist long before 1914—to make but two corrections. Stephens, O'Mahony and O'Leary were not in Paris when the I.R.B. was founded in 1858, and it was in Dublin—not in the French capital—that the first oath was administered. Worse taste and worse history are the sweeping accusation that in the 1798 period Presbyterians and Anglo-Irish massacred the Roman Catholics of means and property, and possessed themselves of their lands.

A long historical introduction, based largely upon Corkery, Desmond Ryan and R. M. Henry, will be useful to French readers, but leads to needless repetitions. Apart from its merit as biography, the book's long chapters on the Irish Volunteers, Pearse and the I.R.B., and the insurrection of Easter Week are of first-rate importance. M. Le Roux has had access to much unpublished oral and written information on this period. Thus, for the first time, we have much of what actually is the truth and the inner history—personal and political—of the events immediately preceding Easter Week.

WILD LIFE IN THE AUSTRALIAN BUSH.

The Call of the Bush. By Harold Priest. London: Werner Laurie. 12/6 net.

A VERY laudable ambition to study nature at first hand led the author to abandon civilisation and plunge into the wild. He chose as the scene of his operations the South Australian bush, bordering on the banks of the great Murray River, and, equipped only with a small rifle and the barest necessaries, he set out on this novel quest. The quest was novel because, though many have studied nature for themselves in the wilds, few have cared to do it in a state of comparative nudity, with only a rifle and a handful of groceries to stave off possible starvation. Mr. Priest achieved his object very fully, and, in addition to many delightful descriptions of the scenery, he gives an excellent idea of the animal life that he encountered.

It is most encouraging to think that the rich fauna of South Australia is as yet comparatively unspoiled by man; for certainly the writer enjoyed the sight of many exquisite birds and interesting creatures. His own daily life was decidedly eventful and, at times, most uncomfortable. The difficulty of obtaining proper food was paramount, and his menu seems uninteresting—rabbit and duck *ad nauseam*, with an occasional kangaroo. Even the fish do not appear very attractive, and beyond an odd Murray cod and a Jew fish, they do not figure in the bill of fare. Evidently this diet was most unsuitable, since we find him seriously ill. Fortunately, he discovered a quantity of the despised nettle, whose anti-scorbutic qualities helped to restore his health. Furthermore, the insect pests encountered were a sore trial, and flies and a small red tick plagued him much. No natives were seen, but strange white men and recluses took their place.

There are some good accounts of the life of a squatter and of settling in the country, but the author's unfortunate habit of vague philosophy, which leads him to ask questions that he does not attempt to answer, detracts from the book. His rhapsodisings also are very trying at times. Mr. Priest has it in him to write a first-class nature book, but to do this he must stick to plain facts. There is poetry in nature, but nature in poetry, save in the hands of a great genius like Tennyson, is apt to bore, and Mr. Priest is far from a Tennyson.

RECENT FICTION.

The Odyssey of Euphemia Tracy. By Richmal Crompton. Macmillan. 7/6.

The Purple Shawl. By Ursula Gwynn. Hurst and Blackett. 7/6 net.

The Wave Breaks. By Barbara Noble. Hutchinson. 7/6 net.

The Saint and Mary Kate. By Frank O'Connor. Macmillan. 7/6 net.

Under Kenya Suns. By Keats Weston. John Long. 7/6 net.

WHEN we say that Mr. O'Connor's novel is not particularly good, that is not to say that it is not head and shoulders above most of the stuff which is issued annually from the publishing houses. Mr. O'Connor is a serious artist and observer, and he deserves to be considered on the plane of his kind. The fact is, however, that "The Saint and Mary Kate" is not a worthy successor to "Guests of the Nation"; for it lacks form and cohesion. The first half admits us to the early life and development of the saint—an unfortunate boy with an unnatural streak of religious formalism—and Mary Kate, who is the daughter of a Cork prostitute, without a touch of religion in her. The second half describes Mary Kate's sojourn in Dublin with her father—who turns out not to be her father at all—the saint's arrival in search of her, their journey home by road, and the strange adventures, with less strange emotions, which beset them on the way. The book winds up simply nowhere. If it finished with the saint's austere and definite rejection of Mary Kate's attractions, or with his frank acceptance of them, it would be complete and rounded. As things are, the book is a fine and polished picture of two exceptional characters—but one would hesitate to call it a novel.

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Nancy Harlow, a clever and ambitious young woman doctor, takes a post at a mission station in the wild surroundings of the Great Rift Valley. In the pursuit of her study of native psychology she is thrown into the society of Gerry Holt, a hedonist, who has no regard for social or moral conventions, but, nevertheless, possesses many redeeming qualities. Holt has lived for many years in Kenya, is exceedingly popular with the natives, and is always humane and just in his dealings with them. The story covers a period of several years and gives a graphic account of some incidents in the abortive anti-Indian rising of 1923.

A tragic love interest and very good descriptive writing add to the attractions of this very readable novel.

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"The Purple Shawl" is the name of a great picture painted by a drunken artist called Julian Cabrol, who dies suddenly, leaving his wife, Viève, with three small boys and no money. The eldest boy, Edward, is his mother's best beloved. The chief motive of the story is the antagonism that flourishes between Edward and Lord Melling Carr, who supports all four of them, and sends the boys to a good school, because he loves their mother. Unfortunately, Lord Melling Carr is married to someone else, and matters are badly complicated by the motor smash in which his wife is injured. Shortly after this Edward discovers the true facts of the case, and refuses to forgive his mother for placing him under such an obligation to the man whom he detests. The Great War steps in then, but it does not solve the problem; in fact, it makes it all the worse. Edward is killed, still hating bitterly the things that he has found out. Lord Melling Carr's wife dies, too, but Viève will not see him any more. The rather banal tale is well told, the characters take shape and act for themselves, and the trusted housekeeper, Wolsey, is a most entertaining person.

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When the girl, Hilary Vining, promised to marry one of the many off-shoots of the Fambridge family, she did not know for what she was letting herself in, since the Fambridges, on the whole, were a queer lot. In her book, "The Wave Breaks," a title that does not describe the story at all, the author shows us the lurid happenings of a week's end in two of the Fambridge households. Alison, the forty-five year old wife of Philip Fambridge, invites Hilary to be one of a small party at her seaside week-end cottage. There some very upsetting things happen, but they do not seem to prejudice the girl much against the family into which she is marrying. Much of the conversation between the young and downright Hilary and the time-mellowed Alison is exceedingly good and quite true to type.

The other household, to which that week's end brings a crisis, is the home of Anthony Fambridge, the complete black sheep, whose own children support him, while his father supplies the money for his drunken debauches. This hopeless picture, too, is very well painted. In the end, nothing is solved, and the Fambridges, apparently, go on just the same. Barbara Noble succeeds in making us feel really interested in a family whose members talk a great deal about their own peculiarities.

CLEARING A FENCE.

Mr. F. Clarke on Elsworth, who was second, leading the winner, Mrs. P. J. Leonard's Golearia, in the Leopardstown Steeplechase.

ROYAL DUBLIN SOCIETY'S SPRING SHOW

4th, 5th, 6th & 7th MAY, 1932.

EXCURSION ARRANGEMENTS TO DUBLIN

On May 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 RETURN TICKETS will be issued at REDUCED FARES from ALL STATIONS available for return up to and including MONDAY, 9th MAY. These arrangements will not apply to Stations between Greystones and Dublin.

THURSDAY, 5th MAY, SPECIAL DAY EXCURSIONS

SPECIAL TRAIN

From	Return Leaving at a.m.	Third Class. s. d.
Wexford	6.15	6 6
Enniscorthy	8.48	6 0
Ferns	9. 3	5 6
Camolin	9.12	5 6
Gorey	9.33	5 0
Arklow	9.45	4 6
Woodenbridge	9.53	4 0
Avoca	9.59	4 0
Rathdrum	10.15	3 6
Rathnew	10.30	3 0
Westland row arr.	11.55	—

Special Train will Return from Westland Row at 7.30 p.m. Tickets available for Return on date of issue only.

SPECIAL TRAIN

From	Return Leaving at a.m.	Third Class. s. d.
Cork	7.15	10 0
Mallow	7.52	9 0
Buttevant	8. 8	9 0
Charleville	8.21	8 6
Kilmallock	8.30	8 0
Knocklong	8.40	8 0
Limerick Junc.	9. 2	7 6
Dundrum	9.19	7 0
Gould's Cross	9.27	6 6
Thurles	9.40	6 6
Kingsbridge arr.	11.40	—

†Special Train will Return from Kingsbridge at 7.0 p.m. Tickets available for date of issue only.

SPECIAL TRAIN

From	Return Leaving at a.m.	Third Class. s. d.
Galway	7.50	8 6
Oranmore	7.59	8 0
Athenry	8.13	7 6
Attymon	8.24	7 6
Woodlawn	8.36	7 0
Ballinasloe	8.50	6 6
Carrowduff	9. 3	6 0
Athlone	9.15	6 0
Moate	9.41	5 6
Streamstown	9.54	5 0
Castletown	10. 3	5 0
Mullingar	10.15	4 6
Edgeworthstown arr.	11.40	—

Special Train will Return from Broadstone at 7.50 p.m. Tickets available for date of issue only.

ORDINARY TRAINS.

From	Return Leaving at a.m.	Third Class. s.d.
Killurin	9.22	6 6
Macmine	9.30	6 0
Shillelagh	7. 0 10. 0	5 0
Tinahely	7.27 10.11	5 0
Ballingle	7.40 10.17	4 6
Aughrim	7.55 10.40	4 6
Wood'bridge	8.25 11.10	4 0
Wicklow	8. 5 11.58	3 0
Arrive Harcourt St.	10. 5 1.10	—

Tickets available for Return on date of issue only by Ordinary Passenger Train, which leaves Harcourt Street at 7.0 p.m., or Westland Row at 6.45 p.m.

SPECIAL TRAIN.

From	Return Leaving at a.m.	Third Class.
Killaloe	6.30	6/-
Birdhill	6.38	
Shallee	6.55	
Nenagh	7.10	
Cloughjordan	7.26	
Roscrea	7.45	
Ballybrophy	8. 5	
Birr	7.15	
Broosna	7.22	
Kingsb'dge, arr.	9.55	

Special Train will return from Kingsbridge at 7.15 p.m. Tickets available for date of issue only.

ORDINARY TRAINS.

From	Return Leaving at a.m.	Third Class. s.d.
Waterford	8.30	7 6
Kilmacow	8.39	7 6
Mullinavat	8.36	7 0
Ballyhale	8.50	6 6
Thomastown	8.58	6 0
Bennett's Bridge	9. 8	6 6
Kilkenny	9.25	6 0
Gowran	9.48	5 6
Bagenalstown	10. 0	5 0
Milford	10.13	5 0
Carlow	10.21	5 0
Mageney	10.35	4 6
Athy	10.48	4 0
Kingsb'dge, arr.	12. 5	—

Tickets available for Return on date of issue only. Passenger Train will leave Kingsbridge at 6.15 p.m., and this train will be extended from Kilkenny to Waterford.

SPECIAL TRAIN

From	Return Leaving at a.m.	Third Class. s. d.
Clonmel	8.35	7 6
Fethard	8.53	7 0
Farnaloon	9. 0	7 0
Laffan's Bridge	9.10	7 0
Horse and Jockey	9.19	6 6
Kingsbridge, arr.	11.40	—

Special Train will return from Kingsbridge at 7.0 p.m. Tickets available for date of issue only.

SPECIAL TRAIN

From	Return Leaving at a.m.	Third Class. s. d.
Limerick	8.15	8 0
Pallas	8.40	7 6
Oola	8.50	7 6
Kingsbridge, arr.	11.40	—

Special Train will return from Kingsbridge at 7.0 p.m. Tickets available for date of issue only.

G.S.R. W. H. MORTON, General Manager.

PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED.

BIOGRAPHY AND HISTORY.

An Incorruptible Irishman, 1767-1843. By E. C. Somerville and Martin Ross. London: Nicholson and Watson. 18/- net.

Women in Men's Guise. By O. P. Gilbert. London: John Lane. 12/6.

Charles Gore. By John Gore. London: Murray. 3/6 net.

FICTION.

A Wife and Child. By Eleanor Reid. **The Man Without a Face.** By Clifton Robbins. Benn. 7/6 net apiece.

A Private Universe. By André Maurois. **Old Wine and New.** By Warwick Deeping. Cassell. 7/6 net apiece.

Stricken Gods. By John Lindsey. **Bewitched.** By Alice Williamson. Chapman and Hall. 7/6 net apiece.

The Maiden. By Myrtle Johnston. Murray. 7/6 net.

The Bright Temptation. By Austin Clarke. Allen and Unwin. 7/6 net.

Grandfather's Steps. By Joan Haslip. **All the Daughters of Music.** By Grace Zaring Stone. Cobden-Sanderson. 7/6 net each.

Wild Metal. By Charles Gibson. **Substitute.** By Jolliffe Metcalfe. **Pencarrow.** By Nelle M. Scanlan. **The Thousandth Girl.** By Rupert Hughes. **Spring Hill.** By Mrs. Victor Rickard. **Where Highways Cross.** By J. S. Fletcher-Jarrolds. 7/6 net apiece.

June Lightning. By Elizabeth Murray. John Lane. 7/6 net.

The Secret Citadel. By Isabel C. Clarke. Hutchinson. 7/6 net.

"Flamboyante." By Hubert S. Banner. Hurst and Blackett. 7/6 net.

The Cowboy from Alamos. By Charles H. Snow. John Long. 7/6 net.

Six Lines. By N. A. Temple Ellis. Hodder and Stoughton. 7/6 net.

Bullets Bite Deep. By David Hume. Putnam. 7/6 net.

The Greater Trumps. By Charles Williams. Gollancz 7/6 net.

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PRELIMINARY WORK.

Erecting the scaffolding on the site of the projected "Christ, the King" Statue at Dun Laoghaire.

ALLEGED BREACH OF PROMISE.

DONEGAL GIRL'S INTENDED ACTION.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE O'BYRNE.)

An application was made on behalf of Jane Lynch, a domestic servant, of Corgarvey, Ballybofey, Co. Donegal, for liberty to issue a summons and serve it out of the jurisdiction on Francis Harkin in an intended action by her against him for alleged breach of promise of marriage.

Mr. McGonigal (instructed by Mr. Vincent F. McMullen), who made the application, moved on an affidavit, in which the intended plaintiff stated that in November, 1923, she went to service at Neenagravy and remained until May, 1931. While there she met Francis Harkin, then of Neenagravy, and kept company with him for about two years. During that time he asked her to marry him and she agreed to do so, but they had a falling out some time afterwards, and they did not meet again for about three years. About two and a half years ago they began to keep company again, and soon after they began to keep company for the second time he met her at Neenagravy, and again asked her to marry him. She agreed to do so.

The intended plaintiff in her affidavit referred to a letter which, she stated, she had received from the intended defendant, and in which the intended defendant said that he was away from home and was not coming back. She believed he was in Scotland.

Mr. Justice O'Byrne granted the application.

QUEEN'S THEATRE LEASE.

MONEY SPENT IN REPAIRS.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE JOHNSTON.)

The hearing was concluded of the motion on behalf of Theatrical Enterprises, Ltd., owners of the Queen's Theatre, Dublin, in connection with the proposed winding up of Messrs. Bourke and Wilde, Ltd., lessees of the theatre. The motion asked that the applicants should get possession of the theatre, as Messrs. Bourke and Wilde had, the applicants stated, forfeited their lease by being in arrears in the payment of rent. The defence was that rent was not in arrear, because there should be set off against rent due over £1,000 spent in repairs and additions to the theatre.

Mr. Dickie, K.C., and Mr. McGuckin (instructed by Messrs. Jones, O'Connor and Co.) appeared for Theatrical Enterprises, Ltd.; and Mr. Wood, K.C., Mr. Molony, K.C., and Mr. John Maguire (instructed by Messrs. Stewart and Orr) for the provisional liquidators of Bourke and Wilde, Ltd.

Mr. Justice Johnston, at the conclusion of the arguments reserved judgment until Monday next.

"A D.W.D. Flask for my hip pocket—yes me."—(Advt.).

CIRCUIT (CRIMINAL) COURT

ROBBERY FROM EMPLOYER.

Michael McGowan, a labourer, of North Great George's street, Dublin, who was convicted of breaking and entering the house of Mr. Arthur Lowndes, 79 Whitworth road, on 4th or 5th inst., and stealing a cigarette lighter, a circumfentor, a nickel plated watch, a man's suit, and £1 7s. 6d. in cash, was sentenced to six months' imprisonment, with hard labour.

The evidence was that accused had been employed doing some repair work to Mr. Lowndes' house at the time the articles were missed. They were afterwards found in prisoner's possession when his house was searched.

FRAUD ON JEWELLERS.

Stating that there was no doubt that the prisoner came to this country for the sole purpose of fraud, and that the cheque book, which he said he had found, was stolen, the judge sentenced James O'Connor, *alias* Edward Green, a native of Capstown, who pleaded guilty to obtaining watches from Messrs. Hopkins and Hopkins, and Messrs. Jamesons, jewellers, Dublin, by means of worthless cheques, to nine months' imprisonment, with hard labour.

The Judge added that detectives in this country had enough to do looking after the criminals here without looking after those who come from other countries. If anyone came here with the sole purpose of fraud, that person would find that the detectives in Ireland were most efficient.

DUBLIN WINE MERCHANT'S ESTATE.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE HANNA.)

Two applications were listed in connection with the administration of the estate of Bernard J. McEneaney (deceased), wine and spirit merchant, late of 17 Chatham street, Dublin. One of the applications was on behalf of Patrick Moore, spirit merchant, 38 Fleet street, Dublin, and the other was on behalf of Hugh McEneaney, brother of deceased man and next-of-kin, of 117 East Eighth road, Broad Channel, Long Island, New York.

Mr. William Black (instructed by Mr. James Fagan, solicitor), who appeared for Patrick Moore, said that a consent had been reached between the parties, whereby it was agreed that the grant of administratoin should go to Mr. Charles Laverty, solicitor, Castleblayney, as attorney for Hugh McEneaney. The consent provided for the costs of both parties to be defrayed out of the assets.

Mr. Cawley (instructed by Mr. J. Hawthorne, solicitor), for Hugh McEneaney by his attorney, said the arrangement was satisfactory.

Mr. Justice Hanna received the consent, and made it a rule of Court.

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IRISHMAN'S DIARY.

A Double Centenarian : Indian Tea : A Masonic Event. Picture-Houses and Sound : Birds and the Farmer.

Odours that Delight.

It is curious that there are many smells that fill some people with disgust, but give mighty pleasure to others. Take camphor, for instance. Many women of the pre-Coty era exude a strong odour of this anti-moth substance, and apparently they enjoy it; but they mostly hate tobacco, except for a sneaking regard for good cigars. There is the man who loves apple pudding; yet his enjoyment is entirely spoiled if cloves are cooked with it. The curious earthy smell that permeates the underground railways and hallowed old buildings is ambrosia to many who are otherwise of the open-air cult. Oranges probably suffer in the esteem of the older generation of to-day on account of their prevalence in the pit and "gods" of bygone years. The true lover of horses delights in the acrid fumes of stables; and some may like the smell of tanned leather, yet may be repelled by the peculiar bouquet of American cloth.

It is, perhaps, most remarkable that one member of the fair sex should react so uncompromisingly to the perfume that many another woman chooses for her adornment. Women often affect to be completely nauseated by that choice; but that is merely symbolic of a clash of personality. A perfume must match the personality of its wearer exactly as her garments must match it.

So, at least, I am told.

A Masonic Event.

A notable event in the history of Irish Freemasonry will take place at Farnborough, Surrey, on May 13th, when for the first time on record a Masonic Lodge will be founded on English soil under the constitution of the Grand Lodge of Ireland. This Lodge, which will be known as the Lesswarree Lodge, is being founded by the 4th King's Royal Irish Dragoon Guards, who are under orders for foreign service, and will be leaving England shortly. I understand that the ceremony will be attended by the Earl of Donoughmore, Grand Master of Ireland; Mr. Raymond Brooke, Deputy-Grand Master, and all the Irish Grand Officers. The Pro-Grand Master of England, the Right Hon. Lord Ampthill, G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E., also is expected to be present.

Birds the Farmer's Friend.

I was discussing with a friend the appeal for birds made at the annual meeting of the Ulster Society for the Protection of Wild Birds by the Duchess of Abercorn, who mentioned that the Duke of Abercorn had a sanctuary for birds at both his residences, Baron's Court and Government House, Hillsborough. This friend, who has had to spend much time at rest in his garden and little fruit plantation, has made some interesting observations on the uses and peccadilloes of birds from the farmers' point of view, and he puts in a special plea for tits of all kinds.

He told me that every year coletits bring up large families within a yard of a Czar plum, at once their nursery and playground; but his buds do not suffer and he has to thin out twice. Bluetits frequent his morella, and share the Victoria with the coletits, with no loss of buds, but with a marked absence of caterpillars. He confirms the statement made by Selby thirty years ago that bluetits fly to their nest every two minutes with a caterpillar, but adds that at every flight they take from three to five caterpillars, and not just one. Twice this winter flocks of long-tailed tits have visited him, and searched every Allington and plum, but not a bud is gone. The lesser whitethroat and garden warbler will stand on the very tips of the smallest Bramley branches searching for insects. With the aid of binoculars my friend has seen cuckoos after gooseberry caterpillars, and a starling with five leatherjackets in her beak. A green woodpecker also eats them as a change from ants.

On the debit side he has seen a pair of bullfinches strip a plum tree of buds in an hour. All birds rob red currants, but blackbirds are the worst thieves, and of late years they seem to attack ripening apples more than they did formerly. One day, above the *débris* of numerous moths that he found in the corner of a sheltered verandah, he came upon a young bat asleep on the wall, no doubt overcome by such a heavy meal.

China's Grand Old Man.

China is the latest country to claim the world's oldest man. In Li Ching-Yun she boasts a citizen of the remarkable age of two hundred and fifty-five years. He claims to have fought in the Chinese wars of two hundred years ago, and possesses medals for military service presented to him by the Emperor Kang Hri, one of the first Emperors of the Manchu dynasty. His civil decorations also date back some two hundred years. These facts are, I presume, of primary importance, because no Chinaman would dare to borrow the distinctions of an ancestor. With his other distinctions, Li claims to have had fourteen wives, and to have lived happily with every one of them. He has been cross-examined on the history of China over the period of his life, but has never failed to answer correctly.

Cinema Echoes.

I suppose that most people who go to the cinema still choose their seats with regard to the view of the screen rather than the acoustics of the seat. In the days of the silent pictures the question of acoustics did not arise, so that now many patrons, when they visit a converted house, complain that the sound is rather muffled. The fault lies in the fact that, when the house was originally built, there was no need to go to the expense and trouble of cutting out possible echoes. In consequence, those patrons with keen ears who are sitting in the centre of the auditorium receive the echoes from all the walls a fraction of a second after the original sound reaches them. The effect of this is to blur the music slightly. To those sitting near the screen the original music is so much louder that the echoes are inaudible, while at the rear of the auditorium the echo almost synchronises with the original reception. Modern cinemas are built with all the necessary precautions against echoes, such as silencing material on the walls, and sound-traps.

Indian Tea

It is probable that ninety-nine *per cent.* of the population to-day drink Indian tea in preference to the China variety; yet Indian tea was unknown until a hundred years ago. China and Japan supplied the world with its requirements in those days.

Incidentally, I wonder what has happened to the Japanese variety of this commodity and what it tasted like. It was not till just over a century ago that an English botanist wandering in Assam was impressed by the similarity of a native shrub to the tea plant. The shrub was sent to Kew for confirmation of its relationship to the Chinese plant, but the reply was that it was no relation. Fortunately for India, the botanist was undeterred, and, with some friends, determined to cultivate the shrub which he had found. The result was that Indian tea supplanted the far eastern variety in the western home, and to-day tea-planting is one of India's most important industries.

QUIDNUNC.

PONTOON LAUNCHING.

Launching of the pontoon for the Electricity Supply Board at Ringsend Dockyard, Dublin, yesterday.

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Royal Society of St. George Dinner—Gresham Hotel, 6.30 p.m.
Postal Services Cricket Club Dance—Rathmines Town Hall.
Cinderella Dance—Metropole Ballroom.

AMUSEMENTS.

Gaiety Theatre—"It's a Girl."
Olympia Theatre—Variety.
Abbey Theatre—"Merely Sally Anne."
Gate Theatre—"Berkeley Square."
Metropole Cinema—"Bad Girl."
Savoy Cinema—"The Cuban Love Song."
Carlton Cinema—"My Wife's Family."
Saturday Supper Dance—Clery's Ballroom, 8 to 12.
Silver Slipper Club—Dancing and Variety.
Theatre Royal—"By George!"
Capitol Cinema — "Alexander Hamilton" and Variety.
Pavilion Cinema—"Indiscreet."
Grafton Cinema—"The Ghost Train."
Corinthian Cinema—"Condemned to Death."
Royal Hibernian Academy of Arts Exhibition—Metropolitan School of Art, Kildare street.
Phoenix Park Club Races — First Race, 3 p.m.

SUNDAY.

Father Mathew Hall, Church street—Dramatic Art (Tailteann Elimination Competitions), 7.45 p.m.

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TRINITY COLLEGE NOTES.

SCHOLARSHIP AND LITTLE-GO.

THE WILD DUCK.

FROM A CORRESPONDENT.

THERE are three examinations famous above all others in Trinity College—Moderatorship, Scholarship and Little-Go. Of these the last took place this week, while next week Scholarship will occupy the attentions of the ambitious. Little-Go, as is well-known, recognises no exceptions and its terrors must be experienced by every man who would have a Dublin University degree; Scholarship, on the other hand, is reserved for intellectuals. General interest in these examinations varies accordingly. "Getting" Little-Go, for most people, means the completion of a disagreeable task, but "getting" Scholarship is a constant subject of speculation, and, in recent years, of sweepstakes based on the results of the tests. A Scholar of Trinity College is honoured wherever he goes. This year, by the way, an artistic stimulus has been supplied for the candidates in the renovated Regent House, where the examinations are held. By the application of fresh paint this famous room has become the most beautiful hall in College. The expansive walls have been tastefully covered with two delicate shades of green, and the ceiling decorations of white plaster brought out by a cunning black tracery.

As is the custom in Trinity, examinations coincide with or immediately precede the opening of lecture term. This week the Divinity School resumed its functions, and on May 6th Arts lectures begin again.

We regret to report that Dr. Hewson, conductor of the Choral Society, will not be able to fulfil his duties in that Society this term, owing to a severe accident that befell him. Last week, while riding his bicycle in Rathmines, he was blown down by a terrific gust of wind. Later it was stated that he had broken his hip, and an optimistic estimate of his enforced retirement was given as six weeks. Meanwhile, Mr. P. H. Weaving, organist of Christ Church, is conducting the Choral Society, and it is likely that he will perform at the Trinity Week concert. Practices will be held every Friday, at 4 p.m., as usual.

TWO TRINITY MEN.

The sudden death of Captain William A. Redmond, D.S.O., T.D., came as a shock to his many friends in and out of College, where a generation ago he had lived as a student. Another Trinity man who has passed away was Mr. Alexander MacNeill, the first sponsor for imperial preference in the Canadian Parliament. Mr. MacNeill died at the age of eighty-nine at Wiarton, Ontario.

We were startled the other day to find a group of workmen industriously sawing down several quite healthy trees in the College Park. Understanding brought forgiveness, however; it appears that the trees interfered with the play of the tennis courts, and the tennis officials had ordered their removal. In fact, the players' efficiency was considerably impaired by the low-hanging boughs, and they were patient to suffer them so long.

Spring cleaning has come to the Library. The other day a new vacuum cleaner arrived, and readers below in the reading room are aware of the revolution going on above their heads. Every book, even the Book of Kells, has its face polished in spring; and sometimes books are dropped on the floor, to judge from the unseemly noises overhead.

CRICKET.

The Cricket Club has been working steadily this week between the intermittent showers of hail and rain. With the help of the new coach, the first team (almost the same as last year) has gradually become familiar once more with the feel of a bat and the tricks of bowling at a wicket. The Cricket Club is fortunate this year in having for a coach J. Littlewood, who has been with the Essex County staff, and has coached at Fenner's, Cambridge University, besides playing in the Lancashire League. This afternoon a practice match in the College Park will be played between two scratch teams. The general opinion is that the club's prospects for the season are brighter than they have been for years.

Last Saturday afternoon the annual competition for the Grafton Cup took place over a very difficult course—so difficult, in fact, that only one car and one motor cycle finished. Mr. D. P. Harris completed the course in his Riley roadster, while Mr. D. P. Griffiths came through on his motor cycle. It is proposed to have a hill climb later in the summer—probably at De Selby Hill, on the Blessington road. Comments on, and entries for, this proposal are invited by the Hon. Secretary of the D.U. Motor Cycle Club.

A curious incident took place in Botany Bay the other night. A young student was making his way home after a visit to one of the local picture-houses when he heard a ghostly squawk, accompanied by the sound of flapping wings. Being in a nervous state of mind after a mystery film, he approached the object cautiously. In due course he plucked up enough courage to examine the cause of the noise, and, to his astonishment, recognised a prominent inhabitant of the duck-pond in St Stephen's Green. Satisfied that the duck had hurt itself by a collision with a building, he took the bird to his rooms. There he administered food and medical care. After a short stay the bird signified its recuperation by suddenly flying out of his window and into the window of another student. The latter emitted a startled cry that sent the duck back to its home post-haste.

THE BOYS' BRIGADE.

INSPECTION AT RATHMINES TOWN HALL.

The 21st Dublin Company (Rathmines Parish) of the Boys' Brigade held their thirty-ninth annual inspection parade in the Rathmines Town Hall last night. The President of the Company, the Rev. John Tobias, B.D., was in the chair.

Following the inspection and march past, the Inspecting Officer, Major-General Sir George McKenzie Franks, K.C.B., who had been greeted upon arrival by the general salute, sounded by buglers, under Staff-Sergeant Harding, in a brief speech, complimented the boys on their smart appearance and efficient display.

Squad, ambulance, and platoon drill displays were then given by members of the company, under Sergeant J. W. Williams, Staff-Sergeant J. W. Bridle, and Lieutenant H. S. Cobbe. Company Class Warrant Officer J. Carlile next gave an exhibition of physical training, which was followed by a comic boxing display. The past members' parade and drill down, which was next on the programme, was followed by the presentation of a dramatic sketch entitled "Who'll Play Portia?" The cast was as follows: — Staff-Sergeant D. White (Jim Fotheringay), Lieutenant C. J. Mahon (Jack Manners), Staff-Sergeant H. G. Scott (Dick Summersdale), Staff-Sergeant J. W. Bridle (Harry Brown), Warrant Officer A. G. Baldwin (Oliver Jones), and Warrant Officer J. Carlile ([illegible] Williams).

NEW IRISH ROSE.

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.
LONDON, Friday.

The Spring Show of the National Rose Society, held in the Horticultural Society's Hall to-day, was a great success, the display of blossoms being remarkably fine. The gold medal of the Society was awarded to Messrs. Alexander Dickson and Sons for the best new seedling rose. Shown in a big vase, the blossoms are cream-coloured and very large. The new rose has been named "Sir Henry Segrave."

PROTECTION OF DONKEYS.

AWARDS TO CIVIC GUARDS.

LADY MYLES, on behalf of the All-Ireland Donkey Protection Society, at Dublin Castle yesterday, presented three members of the Metropolitan Civic Guards with certificates and gifts in acknowledgment of their activity in promoting the aims of the Society.

About forty Guards were paraded, under command of Superintendent O'Gorman and Inspector O'Riordan, of the B Division.

Among those present were Sir Thomas and Lady Myles, Mrs. Shewell, hon. secretary, and Mrs. Jones, branch secretary for Dublin.

Presentations were made to Guard M. McDonald (43 B) of a certificate and a pocket-book; to Guard P. Sherlock (131 C) of a certificate and an engraved pocket knife, and to Guard M. Byrne (48 C) of a certificate and a silver-mounted walking stick.

THE SOCIETY'S AIM.

Mr. Shewell, hon. secretary of the Society, said that they had great pleasure in being able to make these awards and in the fact that Guard Sherlock was well to the fore again this year. One found that people often could be persuaded to take more care of horses, and even of ponies, but were incorrigible about donkeys. They should be made to understand that in thousands of homes in Ireland the donkey was the true bread-winner. Yet one knew of owners who would take a 10s. ticket in the sweepstake and would grudge 6d for repairs of harness, or for more food, or for shoeing.

Their Society tried to do all it could, out of very small funds, to repair donkey harness, and to get possession of decrepit and worn-out donkeys. They wished that more of them could be handed over to the Society. Some day they hoped that Dublin would come into line with other large cities abroad, where no slow animals, such as donkeys, ponies, etc., were allowed to move about in the city itself. They were certainly a great obstruction to traffic, and the animals suffered as a consequence. Mrs. Shewell added that the Society would like to see at least one Guard from all the other divisions present next year for the presentation of awards.

TRIBUTE TO THE GUARDS.

Lady Myles expressed her pleasure at the conduct of the Guards, and then made the presentations.

The parade was also addressed by Sir Thomas Myles, who spoke of his fifty years' association with the city, and of the many laudable actions of the Metropolitan Police that were within his knowledge during that period. He was able to testify to the remarkable humanity, courage and kindness which had characterised the conduct of the force in his experience of fifty years' connection with the Dublin hospitals.

Superintendent O'Gorman said that he could say that the same spirit animated the Gardai to-day as in the past. He could promise that the old high standard of the force would continue to inspire the Gardai in the future.

AT THE RACES.

Mrs. McNeill, wife of the Governor-General, and Mr. Brereton Barry at yesterday's meeting at Leopardstown.

CHURCH SERVICES—FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER.

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.—To-day (Saturday): 10 a.m., Psalms, 112, 113. Te Deum, II. Hymn, 396 (vv. 1, 2, 3, 7). 4 p.m., Boys' Voices. Magn. and N. Dim. Tours in F. Anthem, "O for the wings," Mendelssohn, 191 (pt.). To-morrow (Sunday): 8 a.m., Holy Communion. 11.15, Matins. Psalms, 63, 65. Te Deum and Jubilate, Stanford in F. Anthems, "O most merciful," Bullock. Hymn 4, "At Thy feet, our Lord and Father." Preacher, the Very Rev. H. R. Brett, M.A., Prebendary of Tassagard. 12.15 p.m., Holy Communion (Choral). Kyrie, Credo, Sanctus, Gloria, Smart in F. Offertory, 5, Stainer. 3.15 p.m., Cantoris Week. Psalms, 138, 141, 146. Magn. and N. Dim., Stanford in F. Anthems, 1st, "O Gladsome light," Sullivan. Hymn, 403, "Alleluia! Sing to Jesus," 2nd, "Let the bright seraphim," Handel. Preacher, the Very Rev. H. R. Brett, M.A., Prebendary of Tassagard. Concluding Voluntary, Toccata in F, Widor. 7 p.m., Evensong in Irish. Preacher, the Rev. P. Quigley, M.A.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.—To-day (Saturday): 10.45 a.m., Te Deum, VI. Hymn, 522. 3 p.m., West in C. Anthem, "If ye love Me," Tallis. To-morrow (Sunday): 11 a.m., Matins. Processional Hymn, 457. Te Deum, Kitson in E flat. Psalm, 116. Benedictus, Kitson in E flat. Introit, "O hearken thou" Elgar. 11.40, Holy Communion, Kitson in E flat. Preacher, Rev. Canon Weir, M.A. Hymns, 383, 213. 3.30 p.m., Evensong. Processional Hymn, 504. Magn. and Nunc. D., Kitson in E flat. Psalm, 119 (2 parts). Anthem, "Sing to the Lord," Mendelssohn. Hymn, 378. Recessional Hymn, 09.

CHAPEL OF TRINITY COLLEGE.—8, Holy Communion. 9.45, Morning Prayer. Service, Gladstone in F. Anthem, "If we believe that Jesus died" (Goss), 242 Hymn, 364. Preacher, Rev. R. M. Gwynn, B.D.

COLLEGE OF ST. COLUMBA.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Service. Te Deum, Hopkins in G. Jubilate, Goss in A. Anthem, "O come, let us worship" (Himmel). Preacher, Rev the Warden. 7.45, Evening Service. Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis, Goss in A. Anthem, "Teach me, O Lord" (Attwood).

ST. MATTHIAS'S PARISH CHURCH.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. 7, Evening Prayer. At both services, Canon Strong.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S, Clyde road.—8, Holy Communion. 11, Matins, Te Deum, Best in G. Benedictus, Cobb in G. Rev. N. H. F. Waring. 12, Sung Eucharist, Smart in F. 3.30, Young People's Service. 6.30, Litany. 7, Evensong and Procession, Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis, Stainer's Parisian Tones. Rev. R. G. Darley. (Quarterly parade of Scouts, Guides.)

HOLY TRINITY, Rathmines.—8 and 10, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. B. C. Waller. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Youth Service. Rev. M. A. Handy.

CHRIST CHURCH, Leeson Park.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer; Rev. G. A. Lowe. 3.30, Children's Service; Rev. G. A. Lowe. 7, Evening Prayer; Rev. W. C. G. Proctor.

ST. COLUMBA'S CHURCH, Ranelagh.—8, Holy Communion 11.30, Morning Prayer; Canon Hughes. 7, Evening Prayer; Rev. G. A. Lowe.

ST. ANN'S CHURCH, Dawson street.—8, Holy Communion. 10 and 11.30, Rev. R. H. Dowse. 3.30, Young People's Service. 7, Canon J. W. Crozier.

MAGDALEN CHURCH, Upper Leeson street.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30 and 7, Rev. W. J. Mayne.

ST. STEPHEN'S.—8, Holy Communion. 10, Matins and Sermon. 11.30, Matins and Litany (shortened), Holy Communion and Sermon. Te Deum (Dykes in F), 4, Children's Service. 6.40, Congregational Singing. 7, Evensong (Eve of St. Mark) and Sermon. Processional Hymn, 182. Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis (Selby in A).

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. R. Northridge. 3.30, Young People's Service; Capt. Savage. 7, Evening Prayer, Rev. R. Northridge.

ST. THOMAS'S CHURCH.—8.15, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion, Rev. R. G. F. Jenkins. 7, Evening Prayer, Rev. J. Purser Shortt.

ST. BARNABAS'S CHURCH.—8.15, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer, Rev. J. Purser Shortt. 4, Young People's Service. 7, Evening Prayer, Rev. R. G. F. Jenkins.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, Grangegorman.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Matins and Holy Communion (choral), Rev. William Bell. 7, Evensong, Rev. William Bell.

ST. GEORGE'S PARISH CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 12, Morning Prayer and Litany, Rev. R. J. Kerr. 7, Evening Prayer, Rev. E. H. F. Campbell.

ST. AIDAN'S CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer, Rev. G. S. Nowlan. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Evening Prayer and Holy Communion, Rev. R. J. Kerr.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion, Rev. K. D. B. Dobbs. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Evening Prayer, Rev. H. C. Cave, Rector of Malahide.

THE FREE CHURCH.—10.30, Morning Prayer, Rev. R. J. Kerr. 3, Children's Service. 8.30, Evening Prayer, Rev. E. H. F. Campbell.

DRUMCONDRA PARISH CHURCH.—11.15, Holy Communion. 12, Rev. J. T. Cummins. 4, Children's Service. 7, Rev. J. B. S. McGinley.

NORTH STRAND PARISH CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. R. K. W. Lowe. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. J. T. Cummins.

IRISH CHURCH MISSIONS, Townsend street.—11.30, Rev. S. J. McGinley. 7, Rev. N. Emerson, Ph.D.

ST. CATHERINE'S.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer, Rev. W. R. A. Bond. 7, Evening Prayer, Rev. A. W. F. Orr.

ST. VICTOR'S.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer, Rev. A. W. F. Orr. 4, Young People's Service. 7, Evening Prayer, Rev. W. R. A. Bond.

ST. PETER'S, Aungier street.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Litany, Rev. G. McCann. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Evening Prayer, Rev. W. P. Webb.

ST. AUDOEN'S CHURCH, Cornmarket.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion, Rev. W. P. Webb. 7, Evening Prayer, Rev. G. McCann.

ST. JUDE'S CHURCH, Kilmainham.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer, Rev. N. H. Hamilton. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Parade Service, Rev. A. S. Bluett.

ST. MICHAN'S.—11.30, Holy Communion, Rev. A. D. Buchanan.

ST. PAUL'S.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Canon E. J. Young. 7, Rev. R. Watson.

ST. MARY'S PARISH CHURCH.—10.15, Rev. Gage Dougherty. 7, Holy Communion, Rev. W. W. Duncan.

ST. MARY'S CHAPEL OF EASE.—11.30, Very Rev. Dean Coulter. 3.30, Young People's Service.

ST. JAMES'S PARISH CHURCH.—11.30, Holy Communion, Rev. G. H. G. Bolton. 7, Rev. E. M. Bateman.

ST. JAMES'S DISTRICT CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. E. M. Bateman. 3.30, Rev. G. H. G. Bolton. 7, Holy Communion, Rev. G. H. Bolton.

ST. KEVIN'S, South Circular road.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. R. E. Weir. 3.30, Young People's Service. 7.

ST. MARK'S CHURCH.—11.30 (Holy Communion) and 7, Rev. H. W. Donald.

MOLYNEUX CHURCH, Bride street.—11.30 and 7, Rev. A. Morrow.

MISSION TO THE ADULT DEAF AND DUMB.—Grace Hall, 3.30, Mr. V. J. Walker.

CHURCH OF THE FEMALE ORPHAN HOUSE, N.C.R.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; the Chaplain. 7, Evening Prayer and Lecture; Rev. W. E. Vandeleur.

ST. PHILIP'S, Milltown.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Litany; Rev. J. H. Carson (formerly of Jerusalem). 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Evening Prayer; Rev. J. H. Carson.

TULLOW PARISH CHURCH, Carrickmines.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. 6.30, Evening Prayer. Monday (St. Mark's Day)—8, Holy Communion.

ST. MATTHEW'S CHURCH, Irishtown.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer; Rev. W. Maitland (S.A.M.S.). 7, Evening Prayer; Rev. R. E. Weir.

ALL SAINTS', Raheny.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30 and 6.30, Canon Drury.

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST, Sandymount.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Procession, Sung Eucharist and Sermon; the Vicar. 3.30, Children's Service. 6.30, Evensong and Sermon; the Vicar.

ST. JOHN'S, Monkstown.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. 7, Evening Prayer; Rev. C. Gregory.

ST. BRIGID'S, Stillorgan.—11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30 and 6.30, Canon Oulton.

ST. PAUL'S, Glenageary.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, 3.30, 6.30, Rev. G. Browne.

MARINERS' CHURCH, Kingstown.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. H. G. Tambling. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. H. G. Tambling.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, Killiney.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Matins and Holy Communion. 7, Evensong and Sermon. Congregational Practice of Church Music.

CLONTARF PARISH CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Archbishop of Dublin. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Evening Prayer; Canon Connell.

ST. MATTHEW'S, Irishtown.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. W. Maitland (S.A.M.S.). 7, Rev. R. E. Weir.

RATHFARNHAM PARISH CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer, Litany. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Evening Prayer.

ST. MARY'S, Crumlin.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer, Litany. 7, Evening Prayer.

MONKSTOWN PARISH CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer; Rev. H. G. Forde. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Evening Prayer; Rev. H. G. Forde. Collections for Monkstown Protestant Orphan Society.

SANDFORD PARISH CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer; Rev. W. N. Harvey. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Evening Prayer; Rev. W. E. Rea.

ZION CHURCH, Rathgar.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. L. Parkinson Hill. 3.30, Young People's Service. 7, Parade Service; Rev. W. Maitland.

CHRIST CHURCH, Blackrock.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer; Rev. George R. Elliott. 7, Evening Prayer; Rev. George R. Elliott.

HOLMPATRICK (SKERRIES) PARISH CHURCH. 11.45, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. W. H. Coulter. 7, Evening Prayer; Rev. W. H. Coulter.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, Lucan.—8.30, Holy Communion. 11, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. 7, Evening Prayer.

HAROLD'S CROSS PARISH CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. 3.30, Young People's Service. 7, Evening Prayer and Litany. Monday (St. Mark's Day), Holy Communion, 8 a.m.

ST. ANDREW'S, Malahide.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. 6.30, Evening Prayer.

ST. DOULAGH'S, Malahide.—3.30, Evening Prayer.

ST. MARNOCK'S, Portmarnock.—10, Morning Prayer.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCHES.

ABBEY CHURCH, Rutland square.—11.45 and 7, Rev. J. C. Breakey.

ADELAIDE ROAD—11.30 and 7, Very Rev. Dr. Hanna.

ST. ANDREW'S, Blackrock.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. Snowdon.

ST. ANDREW'S, Bray.—11.30 and 7, Rev. Dr. McKee.

CHAPELIZOD.—4.30, Rev. A. Gailey.

CLONTARF.—11.30, Very Rev. Dr. J. L. Morrow. Communion. 7, Rev. R. Montgomery.

GREYSTONES.—11.30 and 7, Rev. R. L. Lyle.

HOWTH.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. McCaughey.

KINGSTOWN.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. S. Rutherford.

LUCAN.—11.30 and 7, Rev. A. Gailey.

MALAHIDE.—4, Rev. J. McCaughey.

ORMOND QUAY.—11.45, Rev. Oliver N. Brown (India). 7, Rev T. Byers.

RATHGAR (Christ Church).—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. J. Macaulay.

SANDYMOUNT.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. S. Crockett. Children's Day.

SCOTS' CHURCH.—12 and 7, Rev. A. Macpherson.

PRESBYTERIAN ASSOCIATION, 16 St. Stephen's Green.—4.30, Young Men's Bible Study Circle.

DUBLIN PRESBYTERY'S CITY MISSION, Whitefriar Street Hall, 64 Whitefriar street.—3, Sabbath School. 4.30, Evangelistic Service; Mr. E. Logan.

NORTH STRAND HALL.—8.15 p.m., Evangelistic Service; Mr. E. Logan.

METHODIST CHURCHES.

CENTENARY CHURCH, St. Stephen's Green.—11.30, Rev. J. E. Neill. 7, Rev. W. S. Morris.

KINGSLAND PARK.—11.30, Rev. W. S. Morris. 7, Rev. S. G. McIntyre.

DOLPHIN'S BARN.—11.30, Rev. S. G. McIntyre. 7, Rev. J. E. Neill.

BRIGHTON ROAD, Rathgar.—11.30 and 7, Rev. R. Lee Cole.

CHARLESTON ROAD.—11.30 and 7, Rev. W. H. Massey.

ABBEY STREET.—11.30, Rev. J. Wesley McKinney. 7, Rev. W. E. Eames.

CLONLIFFE.—11.30, Mr. F. Macdonald. 7, Rev. W. W. Hutchinson.

BLACKHALL PLACE.—11.30, Rev. W. E. Eames. 7, Mr. John Smith.

INCHICORE.—11.30, Rev. W. R. Budd. 7, Rev. J. W. McKinney.

LUCAN.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. D. Foster.

DUBLIN CENTRAL MISSION (George's Hall, South Great George's street).—11.30, Rev. J. England. 4, Brotherhood; Dr. H. Bewley. 7, Rev. J. England.

CLONTARF.—11.30 and 7, Rev. B. Brooke Morton.

SUTTON.—11.30 and 7, Rev. R. H. Foster.

KINGSTOWN.—11.30 and 7, Rev. Percy S. Shipway.

BLACKROCK.—11.30 and 7, Rev. S. H. J. Carrie.

DALKEY.—11.30 and 7, Rev. Dr. Carruthers.

BRAY.—11.30 and 7, Rev. Hugh M. Watson.

SANDYMOUNT.—11.30 and 7, Rev. John Bertenshaw.

RINGSEND.—11.30 and 7, Rev. W. L. Coade.

SANTRY.—10.30, Morning Prayer. 4, Evening Prayer.

GLASNEVIN.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. 7, Evening Prayer.

COOLOCK.—12, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion.

OTHER CHURCHES AND HALLS.

MORAVIAN CHURCH, Lower Kevin street.—11.30, Rev. J. H. Bindford.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, York street.—11.30 and 7, Rev. Harold B. Mills.

KILMAINHAM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—11.30, Mr. W. Maslin. 7, Mr. J. Richardson.

BAPTIST CHAPEL, Harcourt street.—11.30 and 7, Pastor L. E. Deens.

BAPTIST CHAPEL, Phibsborough.—11.30 and 7, Pastor R. Warke.

BAPTIST TABERNACLE, Kingstown.—11.30 and 7, Mr. A. W. Tweedall.

MERRION HALL, Lower Merrion street.—12 and 7, Mr. John McAlpine.

RELIGIOUS SOCIETY OF FRIENDS.—6 Eustace street, Dublin, 11; Monkstown, 11; Churchtown, 11; Bray, 11.30.

FRIENDS' MISSION, 27 Meath place, off Meath street.—8, Mr. A. Otter.

FAIRVIEW HALL.—12, Mr. W. T. James, Egypt General Mission. 7, Mr. F. W. Jeffers.

TAILORS' HALL.—3.15, Sunday School. 7, Mr. Noel Flanagan.

NORTHUMBERLAND HALL, Dun Laoghaire.—7, Mr. Samuel Squire, of Lausanne, and Mr. Edmond Squire, of France.

DUBLIN CITY MISSION HALL, 9 Anglesea street.—4, Mr. Joseph Glasey, of Belfast.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, Dublin.—Lower Baggot Street (branch church of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.). Services—Sunday, 11.30 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Sunday School, 11.30 a.m.; Wednesday Meeting, with testimonies of Christian Science healing, 8 p.m. Christian Science Reading Room, same address, open free to the Public daily from 11 a.m.

SECOND CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, Dublin, Rathmines Park (branch church of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.).—Services: To-morrow (Sunday), 11.30 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday—Testimony Meeting, 8 p.m. Christian Science Reading Room, Rathmines Park, open daily, free to the public.

CORK CATHEDRAL.

8, Holy Communion. 11, Matins and Holy Communion (Choral). Psalm, 63. Benedictus, Roberts in G. Communion Service, Garrett in E flat. Preacher, the Dean. Offertory Hymn, 411. Communion Hymn, 208. 3, Children's Service. 4, Evensong (Choral). Psalms, 139, 141, 146. Service, Stainer in E flat. Anthem, "Happy and blest are they" (Mendelssohn). Hymn 162. 7, Litany and Sermon. Hymns, 462, 408, 521, 190. Preacher, Rev. C. F. Allen.

SPORTSMAN'S WEDDING.

The marriage of Mr. Michael McCarthy, Master of the Clonmel Harriers, and Miss Pearl White, Gortnafluir, Clonmel, a well-known follower of hounds, attracted many hunting friends to Powerstown Roman Catholic Church, where the ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father O'Flynn, of Cork, assisted by Father Cusack and other priests.

The church was artistically decorated with flowers.

When the happy couple were leaving the church Major Knox sounded the hunting horn.

At the reception in the bride's home appropriate songs, including old hunting pieces, were sung, those present joining heartily in the choruses.

The honeymoon will be spent in the South of France.

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Saturday, April 23.
IRISH LAND COMMISSION.
Examiners' Chambers, 93 Merrion square.
Before Mr. Sullivan, at 11 o'clock—A. M. Geraty (S. 6321).

The Secretary of the Royal Academy states that at a general assembly of Academicians and Associates, held yesterday, Mr. Ernest Proctor, painter, was elected an associate of the Royal Academy.

PATENTS. DESIGNS. TRADE MARKS.
W. E. Doyle, Patent Agent, 95 Mid. Abbey st. Dublin —(Advt.).

ON THE WIRELESS

SHAKESPEARE MEMORIAL THEATRE.

THERE are many attractions on the programmes to-day. For sporting enthusiasts the broadcast of the Football Association Cup Final, Arsenal v. Newcastle, will be of first importance. The commentary on the match will be given by George F. Allison. Prior to the game there will be community singing, conducted by T. P. Ratcliffe. The singing will be accompanied by H.M. Welsh Guards Band, under the direction of Captain Andrew Harris. In an entirely different category is the broadcast at 1 o'clock to-day of an event of world-wide and lasting importance—the opening of the new Shakespeare Memorial Theatre at Stratford-upon-Avon. The opening ceremony will be performed by H.R.H. the Prince of Wales, K.G., whose speech will be heard by listeners. A descriptive commentary will be given by Mr. Percy Edgar. Prior to the opening ceremony, which is timed to take place at 2.20, there will be a broadcast of the speeches following the luncheon in honour of the poet's birthday, from the new Palace Garden. The Mayor of Stratford-upon-Avon (Sir Archibald D. Flower) will preside, and will offer the official welcome to the Ambassadors, representatives of the Overseas Dominions and other distinguished visitors. Among the toasts will be "The Immortal Memory," proposed by Sir Frank Benson; "Representatives of the Nations," by Mr. Stanley Baldwin, M.P., to which His Excellency, Mons. A. de Fleurian, the French Ambassador, will respond. This broadcast should not be missed; for it is of importance to all peoples who set value upon culture as a national asset. The original Memorial Theatre, it will be recalled, was destroyed by fire.

OTHER ATTRACTIONS.

DUBLIN.
8.0—Grand Symphony Concert, conducted by E. Godfrey Brown, Music Director of the B.B.C. Belfast Station.

BELFAST.
6.30 — Light Music. 7.45 — Orchestral Concert.

NORTH REGIONAL.
2.35—Community Singing and a Running Commentary on the Football Association Cup Final. 8.30—"Micropierrots," a new and original concert party entertainment.

NATIONAL.
7.30—The Wycombe Orpheus Male Voice Choir. 8.0—The Wireless Military Band.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMMES.

DUBLIN (2RN)—413 Metres.
1.30-2.0—Time, Weather and Concert.
7.20—News.
7.30—Time.
7.30—Duologue, "That's What I Was" (V. Hall).
7.45—Gaedhilg.
8. 0—Grand Symphony Concert—2RN Symphony Orchestra (conductor, E. Godfrey Brown, Musical Director, B.B.C., Belfast.
10.30—Time, News, Weather.
10.40—Seamus Laverty, Weekly Sports Review; close down.

BELFAST—242.3 Metres (1,238 Kc.).
10.15-10.30—The Daily Service.
12. 0—Daventry National Programme.
5.15—The Children's Hour.
6. 0—Daventry National Programme.
6.25—Sports Bulletin.
6.30—Light Music.
7.25—Padraic Gregory: "Our Old Popular Ballads."
7.45—An Orchestral Concert.
9. 0—Daventry National Programme.
9.15—Regional News and Sports Bulletin.
9.20-12.0—Daventry National Programme.

NORTH REGIONAL—479.2 Metres (626 Kc.).
10.15—The Daily Service.
10.30-11.0—Daventry National Programme.
12. 0—The Northern Studio Orchestra.
1. 0—The Opening of the New Shakespeare Memorial Theatre.
2.20—Opening Ceremony and Speech by H.R.H. the Prince of Wales, K.G., from the New Theatre.
2.35—The Football Association Cup Final.
4.45—Reginald Foort: Organ.
5.15—The Children's Hour.
6. 0—First General News Bulletin.
6.25—Regional Sports Bulletin.
6.30—Special Interlude.
6.45—A Relay from the Argyle Theatre, Birkenhead.
7.45—The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra.
8.30—"Micropierrots": A Concert Party Entertainment.
9.30—The Northern Studio Orchestra.
10.15—Second General News.
10.35—Dance Music.
11.10-12.0—Daventry National Programme.

NATIONAL—1,554.4 Metres (193 Kc.).
10.15—The Daily Service.
10.30—Time. Shipping Forecast.
10.45-11.0—"What's in the Papers?"
12. 0—The Northern Studio Orchestra.
1. 0—The Opening of the New Shakespeare Memorial Theatre, from Stratford-upon-Avon.
2.20—Opening Ceremony and Speech by H.R.H. the Prince of Wales, K.G., from the New Theatre.
2.35—The Football Association Cup Final; Running Commentary by George F. Allison.
4.45—Reginald Foort: Organ.
5.15—The Children's Hour.
6. 0—"The First News."
6.30—Saturday Sports Talk.
6.45—Alannah Delias (pianoforte).
7. 5-7.25—"This Surprising World."
7.30—The Wycombe Orpheus Male Voice Choir.
8. 0—The Wireless Military Band.
9. 0—"The Second News."
9.15—Shipping Forecast, New York Stock Market Report.
9.20—"On the 9.20."
9.40—"The Life of King Henry the Fifth" (from William Shakespeare).
11.10-12.0—Dance Music.

SUNDAY'S PROGRAMMES.

DUBLIN (2RN)—413 Metres.
8.30—Time.
8.30—Annie Fagan's Ladies' Orchestra.
8.45—Mme. Anna Heffernan (soprano).
9. 0—Lecture Recital, "James Clarence Mangan."
9.30—Orchestra.
9.45—Eva Brennan and Company — Revue, "Hello, Summertime."
10.15—Seamus MacAonghusa (pib) and Frank O'Higgins (fiddle).
10.35—Orchestra.
11. 0—Time, News, Weather and close down.

BELFAST—242.3 Metres (1,238 Kc.).
3. 0-6.15—National Programme.
7.55—A Religious Service for the Industrial Christian Fellowship, relayed from York Minster.
8.45—National Programme.
9. 5—Albert Sandler and the Park Lane Hotel Orchestra. Olive Groves (soprano). From the Park Lane Hotel.
10.30—Epilogue.

NORTH REGIONAL—479.2 Metres (626 Kc.).
3. 0—Matinee Concert. Frank Mullings (tenor), The City of Birmingham Orchestra (leader, Paul Beard). Conductor, Leslie Heward. From the New Shakespeare Memorial Theatre, Stratford-upon-Avon.
4. 0—The Northern Studio Orchestra, directed by John Bridge.
5. 0-5.30—"Travellers from the East"—II.
7.55—A Religious Service for the Industrial Christian Fellowship, relayed from York Minster.
8.45—National Programme.
8.50—News.
9. 5—Sunday Orchestral Concerts—XXVI. Conductor—Adrian Boult.
10.30—Epilogue.

NATIONAL—1,554.4 Metres (193 Kc.).
10.30-10.45—Time, Shipping Forecast.
3. 0—Matinee Concert. Frank Mullings (tenor), The City of Birmingham Orchestra.
4. 0—"What is a Saint?"—XIV. "Don Bosco: A Friend for all Boys from Italy," by the Reverend Father C. C. Martindale, S.J.
4.15—Part II of Handel's "Messiah."
5.30—A Pianoforte Recital by Borovsky.
6. 0-6.15—For the Children.
7.55—A Religious Service for the Industrial Christian Fellowship, relayed from York Minster.
8.45—The Week's Good Cause.
8.50—News, Weather Forecast, Shipping.
9. 5—Albert Sandler and the Park Lane Hotel Orchestra.
10.30—Epilogue.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

HOSPITALS AND SWEEPSTAKES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I have been away from home, and on my return, glancing over the back numbers of the *Irish Times*, my eye caught a note in last Saturday's issue to the effect that the new buildings of the National Maternity Hospital, Holles street, will be two-and-a-half times the size of the existing premises. This raises the question in one's mind as to upkeep when the sweepstakes are discontinued, or when the money from future sweepstakes is diverted to other objects. No doubt, this question was well considered by the Holles Street authorities before they decided to rebuild on an extended scale; but it occurs to me that some of the other hospitals, in respect of which substantial outlay on improvements and extensions is contemplated, might welcome discussion on the subject.

It seems obvious that in such cases provision should be made for the future, having regard to (a) the additional cost of maintenance and upkeep resulting from the proposed extensions; and (b) the loss of future income consequent upon the withdrawal, for a time at any rate, of subscriptions, legacies and grants from public funds. Might I suggest for the consideration of the governors of those hospitals which have not yet come to a decision as to the expenditure of the money derived from the sweepstakes, that for every pound spent on extensions or improvements a pound should be set aside and invested for endowment purposes? It is not possible, within the limitations of a letter such as this, to give one's reasons in detail, but I think it will be found, on an examination of all the factors, that I am not far out in suggesting the desirability of funding a sufficient sum to ensure that, for every hundred pounds of capital expenditure incurred, a hundred pounds should be set aside so as to provide an additional income of approximately £5 *per annum.*

Of course, one very serious difficulty with which the governors of the hospitals are confronted is the impossibility of forming any opinion as to what the ultimate sum at their disposal will be. There are so many unknown factors in the problem. How long will the sweepstakes last? How long will the hospitals continue to receive the proceeds? What will these proceeds amount to? What will a particular hospital's percentage be? None of these questions can be answered with any degree of certainty; but prudence would appear to dictate that no contracts should be entered into involving the outlay of more money than is actually in hand. If extensions are contemplated, and it is not feasible to proceed with these gradually as the money comes in, I should say: "Bide your time, until you know definitely what money you can count on and then cut your coat according to your cloth; but, before proceeding to do so, weigh very carefully the question of making ends meet in the future."

In the same issue of your paper, Dr. Magennis, speaking at the annual meeting of the Linen Guild of the Holles Street Hospital, is reported to have expressed the hope that the Sweepstakes Committee would endeavour to introduce into a bill some clause which would provide the nucleus of a pension fund for nurses, particularly maternity nurses. What strikes an outsider (one who is in no way concerned in the management of the hospitals, save as a sympathetic onlooker) is that the governors of the hospitals which have benefited substantially from the sweepstakes should themselves grapple with the question of improved conditions for the nursing staffs by setting aside for this purpose some definite proportion of their receipts from sweepstakes. I think I am right in assuming that they are at perfect liberty to do this—that no rules have been laid down by the State as to how the money should be applied.

It is not, it seems to me, merely a question of pensions, but also of pay, hours of work and general conditions of service both for probationers and permanent staff. The importance of the part played by nurses in the care and cure of the sick is becoming more and more recognised, and the doctors will be the first to admit that it would be difficult to over-estimate the psychological effect on the patient of good nursing (which calls for a great many qualities apart from technical skill). A nurse, to be able to give of her best, must be reasonably well paid for her work, freed from anxiety as to future, and given abundant time for rest and recreation. No doubt, much has been done in the past few years, but that there is still room for improvement there can, I think, be no doubt. Here again, I have no particular hospital or class of nurses in mind; all that I wish to say is that the individual hospitals should make an effort to deal with this problem for themselves, rather than wait for it to be solved from outside.

My advice, therefore, would be that of the receipts from sweepstakes (after discharging the bank overdraft, if such exists) a definite proportion—say 20 *per cent.*—should be set aside and invested as a fund for the improvement of the lot of the nursing staff; and that, of the remainder, one-half should be invested as a general endowment fund to provide for the future maintenance of the hospital, leaving the other half available for extensions and improvements.—Yours, etc.,

"ONLOOKER."

Dublin, April 22nd, 1932.

THE FREE STATE AND DENMARK.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—It is interesting to compare the attitude of the Irish Free State with that of Denmark towards Great Britain. At the present time in all the cities and towns in Denmark "Buy British" cards are displayed in all the shop-windows. In the Irish Free State space has been refused to the Empire Marketing Board to display Empire produce at the forthcoming Cork Exhibition. Denmark, a densely populated country, believes in buying from her best customer in order to maintain her existence. The Irish Free State wants to bar out Great Britain in order that she may become a densely populated country and depend for her existence on her home market—a proposition which the experience of Denmark has proved to be a fallacy. It is a pity that so many of the "bosses" in this country are so much given to thinking with their feet.—Yours, etc.,

"EIRE."

Dublin, April 22nd, 1932.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I can quite understand the great value of tariffs in stopping the dumping of goods at under cost price in an effort to gain a hold on a foreign market by selling in that market surplus stock at a price considerably lower than they sell for at home. In view of the fact that Mr. De Valera says that at all costs he is going to abolish the oath and retain the land annuities, it seems a great waste of time to debate a subsidy on the dairy industry, especially having regard to the fact that Danish butter is more popular in the English market, and that England is daily making preparations to become wholly independent of all Irish products. At the invitation of Denmark she is having a stall at the Danish Fair to exhibit her goods and manufactures with a view to increasing her sales there, while we in our wisdom refuse to allow her to exhibit in the Cork Fair. Note, further, that she is starting to revive her cattle-breeding industry, and is putting a quota on imported cattle, and that Australia and Canada have already applied for 25 *per cent.* increase in their quota.

Lessons learned by experience are seldom forgotten, but in many cases prove extremely expensive. I hope that we may escape such knowledge.—Yours, etc.,

"AN ELECTOR."

County Wicklow,
April 22nd, 1932.

THY SERVANT, A DOG.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—As the writer of the leader in your issue of to-day, referring to a gross case of cruelty to a dog at Tourmakeady, suggests that efforts should be made to reform the district in the matter of treatment of animals, may we state that this Society is doing all it can in this direction, on limited means, but assisted by the Gardai very considerably, for the whole of Connaught? Many lectures have been given, posters circulated, and every school in the province has been sent humane literature within the last three or four years. This was a great task, but was found to be of considerable use. It must be remembered that it is most difficult to get at people in remote parts, especially people of that age, but even such cases occur in Dublin, where people are, or should be, much more enlightened.

No one can be more anxious than this Society and the Gardai in Co. Mayo to trace the delinquents and have them adequately punished. By these means only can a recurrence of such cruelty be prevented in future.—Yours, etc.,

K. M. SHEWELL,
Hon. Sec., Connacht Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

Dublin, April 22nd, 1932.

The New Linen Duty.

Disappointment in the North.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
BELFAST, Friday.

THERE is general disappointment in the linen trade in Northern Ireland that the amount of the new import duty on linen goods had been fixed at twenty per cent. It was generally anticipated that there would be a reduction from the fifty per cent. duty imposed on linen imports under the abnormal import regulations, but it was hoped that the reduction would not bring the duty below 33⅓ per cent. Although the fifty per cent. duty has been in operation for several months very little benefit has accrued to the industry as a result of the abnormal dumping which preceded its imposition.

FOREIGN COMPETITION.

Mr. A. C. Herdman, managing director of the Belfast Linen Merchants' Association, said that if the White Paper's proposals meant a general reduction in linen duties from fifty to twenty per cent., even with the present rate of exchange, many branches of the local linen trade could not possibly hope to compete with the foreigner. He was afraid that fancy goods, and embroidered handkerchiefs particularly, would not be able to maintain any real competition on the British market with foreign goods of a similar description. He considered that a fifty per cent. maximum duty was necessary in the interest of the linen industry. In some cases, such as piece goods, even twenty per cent. would be a great help, particularly with the present rate of exchange. Under a twenty per cent. duty the piece goods trade might be able to hold its own all right, but it certainly would not be advantageous to the making-up trade.

CONTINENTAL LINENS.

Another linen manufacturer expressed surprise that the fifty per cent. duty was taken off so soon. "There are certain classes of Continental linens," he declared, "which a twenty per cent. duty will certainly not keep out, such as linen cloths and certain low quality coloured damask."

According to the latest Board of Trade returns, linen imports into Great Britain and Northern Ireland for the past three months amounted to £88,215, compared with £153,926 for the corresponding three months last year. The total exports for the same period amounted to £1,389,187, compared with £1,382,656 for the corresponding three months last year.

Fire in Belfast.

Two Men's Narrow Escape Through Window.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
BELFAST, Friday.

Two men had a narrow escape from being trapped in a fire which occurred this morning in a building used for printing at the rear of the Ordnance Survey Office, Antrim road, Belfast. The men were A. A. McGregor, charge hand in the printing department, and Joseph Cordiner. A compound of turpentine and bitumen was being prepared when a small quantity of the mixture bubbled over, and became ignited. In a second the whole place was a mass of flames. Cordiner, in his frantic haste, broke the window with his fist, and struggled through to safety, being badly cut by the jagged glass. McGregor made his exit in the same manner, also sustaining serious laceration of his hands and arms.

A considerable quantity of valuable material, including printing presses, were destroyed.

Insurances at low rates with Phœnix Assurance Co., Ltd., 10-12 Trinity street, Dublin.—R. H. Bolton, Manager. Agents everywhere. (Advt.)

Foreign Mails.

Posting Days in Dublin.

The days of posting in Dublin (in the Provinces correspondence should be posted a day earlier) during the coming week for the despatches of the principal overseas letter mails are:—

Monday — U.S.A., Canada, Bahamas, Bermuda, Cuba, Mexico, Central America, Columbia, Costa Rica, Ecuador, Jamaica, Japan, Leeward Islands, Shanghai, Northern China via Southampton.

Wednesday — Australia, Ceylon, New Zealand, Aden, India, Iraq, Persia, Palestine, Egypt, Cyprus, Sudan, Hong Kong, Southern China, Dutch East Indies, Kenya, Uganda, Tanganyika, Zanzibar, Straits Settlements, Federated Malay States, Siam, Seychelles via Marseilles.

Thursday—U.S.A. via Cobh, Canada, Newfoundland via Glasgow; South Africa, Southern Rhodesia, Mauritius, Madeira, Nyasaland, Portuguese East Africa, Argentina, Uruguay, Paraguay, Brazil via Southampton.

Friday—West Indies, Venezuela, British Guiana via Bristol.

Saturday—U.S.A., Canada, Mexico via Cobh.

A Banned Book.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
CORK, Friday.

Messrs. Woolworth's, of Patrick street, Cork, were summoned, at Cork District Court to-day, for exposing for sale a banned book entitled, "My Husband, Simon."

The manager of the shop, Mr. William Jameson, gave evidence that the book was one of a consignment which had arrived on the previous evening, and which an assistant had forgotten to check. Witness kept an official list of prohibited books, and took the most rigid precautions against such books being on sale.

Superintendent McNeill said that he did not wish to press the case, as he knew Mr. Jameson was careful in such matters.

A fine of 40s. was imposed, the copies of the books in question to be forfeited.

FREE STATE VITAL STATISTICS.

LOWER MARRIAGE AND BIRTH RATES.

A slight decrease in the marriage rate in the Irish Free State during 1931 is revealed by the annual return of the Registrar-General. During the year 13,236 marriages took place in the Free State, representing an annual rate of 4.5 per 1,000 of the population, as against 4.6 per 1,000 in the previous year and an average of 4.8 over the past ten years.

The birth rate also declined during the year, and 57,103 births were registered. This figure is equivalent to 19.3 per 1,000 of the estimated population of the Free State, as compared with 19.8 in the previous year and an average of 20.2 for the years 1921-30.

The death rate was normal—14.5 per 1,000. This is slightly higher than in 1930, but was not above the average over the past ten years.

DRAUGHT HORSE SALE.

A disposal sale of Mr. W. Ryan's stock of high-class draught horses, conducted by Mr. E. F. Lewis (late of Sewell's), was held at Mr. Ryan's stables, Lower Gloucester street, Dublin, yesterday.

The following prices were realised:—Bay gelding, 5 yrs., 36 gns.; bay gelding, 7 yrs., 35 gns.; bay mare, 6 yrs., 33 gns.; bay mare, 7 yrs., 37 gns.; chestnut gelding, 6 yrs., 27 gns.; black gelding, 7 yrs., 31 gns.; black mare, 7 yrs., 29 gns.; chestnut mare, 6 yrs., 30 gns.; bay mare, 6 yrs., 28 gns.; black gelding, 6 yrs., 27 gns.; bay mare, 7 yrs., 25 gns.; black mare, 7 yrs., 35 gns.

PHARMACEUTICAL PRELIMINARY. April, 1932. Mr. P. J. Clarke, 2nd PLACE. The only candidate we presented. McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, Gardiner's Row, Dublin. (Advt.)

Newry Feis Awards.

Irish Dancing Competitions.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
NEWRY, Friday.

Irish folk-dancing competitions were the chief events at the Newry Musical Feis, which was continued in the Town Hall, Newry, to-day before Mr. Denis Cuffe, adjudicator.

Junior Double and Slip Jig—1, Jean Blair, Belfast; 2, Sheila Murphy, Newry, and Louisa Sloan, Newry.

The adjudicator said that never before had he beheld a dancer with a more beautiful rhythm than the winner, who was well ahead of the other competitors.

Junior Fairy Reel—1, Mrs. Hughes's Team "A," Newry; 2, Seafort College Troupe, Dublin.

The adjudicator said that he would advise teachers to concentrate for at least six months each year on figure dancing. While the children could be quite good individually, they were often found wanting in figure dancing.

Junior Four-Hand Reel—1, St. Enda's Four, Dundalk; 2, Mrs. Hughes' Quartette "C," Newry.

Junior Hornpipe and Reel—1, Pearl Moore, Belfast; 2, Elsie Drury, Seafort College, Dublin.

The hornpipe, said the adjudicator, was more suitable for boys than girls, and only one girl, the winner, succeeded in gaining more marks in it than in the reel.

FATHER MATHEW FEIS.

DUNDALK DRAMATIC CLUB.

A few years ago the Dundalk Dramatic Club won the Dramatic Art Competitions of the Tailteann Games, so there was nothing surprising in the large audience which assembled at the Father Mathew Hall, Church street, Dublin, last night to see the club in this year's Tailteann eliminating contests.

The late Major Bryan Cooper's "Let the Credit Go" is not an easy play for amateurs, and the Dundalk Dramatic Club greatly dared in offering it as their principal play in this series of contests. It requires a large cast, with characters widely dissimilar, and it demands three changes of scenery. It is much to the credit of the Dundalk Dramatic Club that they managed to make the production interesting and satisfying. Although many flaws might be found in the production, it is extremely likely that the club will figure in the adjudicator's list of distinguished performances.

Opening slowly enough the play gathered momentum, and the players sensed their surroundings before the second act ended; and from that moment the production was extremely good. The acting was generally good, with some very fine individual performances, and the work of Miss Belle Johnston as producer must be acknowledged to be of the highest class. Where her company failed it may be that she was restricted in her choice of players, but with a few changes the Dundalk Dramatic Club would give a really memorable production of "Let the Credit Go." The grouping of the players in the third act proved that someone with a splendid sense of staging was in command of the players.

In this production Messrs. Tomas O'Fairceallaig as Digby Reid, P. O'Connell as Mr. Malony, Frank Carney as Superintendent Flanagan, Sean MacCatbaid as Inspector Carroll, were all remarkably good; but Mr. Peter Goodman's Sergeant should bring him well into the running for the prize for individual acting. The ladies were the weakest section of the cast, but Miss Belle Johnston made the best of Mrs. Malony.

Lady Gregory's pathetic little play, "The Gaol Gate," made an effective contrast to "Let the Credit Go," and Miss Johnston, with Messrs. P. Goodman and Miss K. McDermott, gave it a more than passable performance. The players were certainly better in the lighter fare presented by "Let the Credit Go," but at least two of them demonstrated their versatility.

On Sunday evening the Bohemia Players will appear in "Hawk Island" and "Augustus in Search of a Father."

Arson Charge.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
SLIGO, Friday.

Samuel Johnston Kyle was brought up at Sligo District Court this morning, on remand, on a charge of having, with intent to defraud, unlawfully and maliciously set fire to his residence, "Loughmore," Strandhill, on March 7th.

Mr. W. H. Argue, solicitor for the accused man, applied for an adjournment to the next District Court as counsel, whom he was instructing for the defence, was engaged at Boyle Circuit Court.

Mr. George Lynch, State Solicitor, said that the Superintendent was not prepared to take bail in view of certain happenings since the proceedings at the special court. The prosecution, he said, was not prepared to accept the same person as surety.

The Justice granted the adjournment, and fixed bail at £100 and two independent sureties of £150 each, which bail, he said, would have to carry through until his Court disposed of the case.

Unpaid Land Annuities.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
DERRY, Friday.

The Free State Local Government Department has written to Donegal County Council notifying them of the deduction of £2,528 12s. 6d. in respect of land purchase annuities from the agricultural grant of £19,655 15s.

DREDGING WORK ON THE SHANNON.

PONTOON LAUNCHED AT RINGSEND.

In furtherance of work on the Shannon electricity scheme, an interesting ceremony took place yesterday at the Ringsend Dockyard when a tripartite pontoon was launched. It is a steel craft, 58 feet long and 13 feet wide and 4 feet 6 inches in depth, intended to carry dredging machinery for the deeping of the Shannon course in Lough Derg. It has been built to the order of the Electricity Supply Board. The launching took place in the presence of Mr. W. McMillan, managing director of Messrs. Ringsend Dockyard, Dublin, and Mr. W. A. Alexander, technical manager, from the company's building slip, Ringsend. The pontoon will be delivered to Killaloe *via* the Grand Canal, together with two other pontoons now under construction.

On account of the shape and dimensions of the craft the Ringsend Company were obliged to make precautionary measurements of the Grand Canal waterway to ensure that there would be no hitch in its transit from Dublin to its destination. These measurements assumed that sufficient width was to be found all through the canal for the central part of the pontoon and its side sections, being much narrower, will easily find space for their passage. Once in the Shannon the three parts of the pontoon will be combined, and on their decks will be erected machinery for the operation of dredging.

MALAHIDE WATER SUPPLY.

Mr. James F. Morris, Hon. Secretary, Malahide Residents' Committee, in the course of a letter to the *Irish Times*, states:—On the 19th March I stated that "Provided proper steps are taken by both the responsible authorities and by the general public, there seems no reason that Malahide should be more affected by a period of drought than any other place in Ireland." During the interval that has elapsed little has been done beyond appointing officials and issuing a public notice. The result is that a grave fear of a water shortage now exists unless the practical steps are undertaken at once. The water level in the reservoir at Killeek has continued to fall, and it is now nearly eight feet below the overflow. In fact, at the western end the level of the Ward river is now some feet above it. As an emergency measure the supply could be augmented by piping in at this point, and the cost would be comparatively small.

The authorities have had two months in which to realise the situation and carry out their duties. How soon may we expect them to take active steps to safeguard the interests of the public?

"The Economy Blizzard."

Northern Postal Clerks' Conference.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
BELFAST, Friday.

MR. F. G. HUGHES, Armagh, presided at the opening of the annual conference of the Post Office Clerks' Association (Northern Ireland) to-day.

Speaking of conditions, he said that, though economists told them that they had weathered the worst phase of the "financial blizzard," they were now in the midst of an "economy blizzard," in which the axe was falling indiscriminately on the undeserving as well as on the deserving. The remuneration paid to the grades comprising the Association was still of paramount importance, and to-day they found themselves more than ever out of alignment with comparable employables under the Government or in public utility concerns.

COMMISSION'S REPORT.

Referring to the report of the Royal Commission on the Civil Service, presently receiving the consideration of the Government, Mr. T. Gregg, acting hon. general secretary, in his report stated that the recommendations did not bring near the solution to many of the questions affecting the irksome conditions which had been the subject of extended agitation. They had been received throughout the Service with profound disappointment.

SOLVING DIFFICULTIES.

Mr. A. J. Ardens, Postmaster-Surveyor, Belfast, expressed his delight at meeting the delegates, and that it was a pointer to the harmonious relations which had existed between him and them during the year. As they knew, there was no such thing as the official and the staff sides.

Mr. W. J. Gillespie, Chief Superintendent Postal; Mr. W. M'L. Gillespie, Telegraph Superintendent, and Mr. A. J. Maskery, Telephone Acting District Manager, also attended.

In Brief.

Fianna Fail Club. — Bridgetown (County Wexford) Fianna Fail Club has elected the following officers:—Mr. R. Dillon, President; and Mr. J. Kevin Hayes, Secretary.

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The Late Captain Redmond.—Wexford District Court was adjourned by Acting Justice McCarthy as a mark of respect to the memory of the late Captain Redmond.

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Price of Pigs.—At Tipperary fat pig market, on Thursday, quotations were 46s. to 48s. per cwt., live-weight, an increase of 2s. per cwt. on last week. At Inistioge 64s. per cwt. was paid for fat pigs, an increase of 3s.

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Woman's Plea.—When a woman was charged at Cork District Court with obtaining goods by false pretences it was stated that she had tendered a sweepstake ticket in a shop instead of a ten-shilling note. The accused woman said she was very drunk at the time, and the case was dismissed.

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Tyrone Shooting Affair.—A well-known farmer, Robert A. Lyons, of Dortans, Castlederg, Co. Tyrone, was remanded at a special Court which was held at Omagh, on bail of £100 in two sureties of £50 each, on a charge of shooting and wounding a young man, Robert J. Harpur, Polyarron, on the night of April 19.

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Platelayer's Fate. — Dr. James Graham, City Coroner, Belfast, held an inquest on the body of George Lunn (46), a platelayer, of Fane street, Belfast, who was killed on the Great Northern Railway line near Balmoral last Monday. The Coroner said that the whole thing was a most regrettable accident, for which the engine driver was in no way to blame. He expressed sympathy with the next-of-kin.

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Justice and Blackguards.—The day of the Civic Guards was not done, and blackguards would be meted out the same treatment now as heretofore, said District Justice McCabe, at Waterford Court, when he fined a man named McManus 5s. and costs on a charge of drunkenness and disorderly conduct at Ballybricken at midnight on Easter Sunday. Guard Naughton said that when he asked him to desist from shouting McManus used obscene language, adopted a fighting attitude, and said: "We can shout if we like; your day is done."

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Bridge Tenders.—The following tenders were received for the building of a bridge over the river at Clonbullogue by the Offaly County Council:—Messrs. T. J. Moran and Co., Dublin, £3,152 3s.; Mr. P. J. Wallace, Clontarf, £2,914 1s.; South of Ireland Asphalt Co., Dublin, £2,887 15s.; same, alternative tender, £2,764 17s.; Mr. Henry Kelly, Clonyboro', Edenderry, £2,882; Messrs. McNally and Co., Dublin, £2,400; Mr. A. E. Farr, London, £2,016 13s.; Messrs. Thompson, Carlow, £1,738. Messrs. Thompson's tender was accepted.

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Judge's Warning.—"If this woman is found on the farm at the end of a fortnight she will have to go to prison for a period not exceeding twelve months," said Judge Devitt at Dundalk Circuit Court yesterday, when the Louth County Council renewed an application for the committal to prison of Mrs. Susan Dooley for failure to obey an order of the court ordering her to leave a farm at Drumgur, on the borders of Louth and Monaghan. Counsel for the County Council stated that the woman had been evicted from the lands, but had returned to the farm.

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Unemployment in Belfast.—Sir Crawford McCullough, Lord Mayor of Belfast, speaking at the annual dinner of the Belfast Water Commissioners last night, said that the city's greatest problem was unemployment. The Corporation, in co-operation with the Government, had been carrying out improvements to give as much work as possible. Outdoor relief had now reached the alarming figure of £1,000 per week, which the Corporation had to find, although no provision had been made in the estimates. The matter was receiving the serious consideration of the Corporation and the Guardians. Sir Crawford added that he was of the opinion that the worst of the depression was passed, and that before long the city would be as busy as ever.

CHILDREN'S DANCING MATINEE.

The Gaiety Theatre was well filled yesterday for the annual matinee of Miss Muriel Catt's School of Dancing.

The entertainment took the form of a fairy play entitled "The Changeling," written and produced by Mr. Herbert Bailey. The dancing, for which it found an adequate background, and all the costumes designed were arranged by Miss Catt.

The play is in three acts, the locus of the first being in the roots of a tree, near a forest glade; the second, the glade of dreams; the third, King Gobbin's Palace.

Among several soloists of merit special mention may be made of Gervaise Matthews, a member of the staff of Miss Catt's school, who gave a really beautiful interpretation of Chopin's Valse in E minor. Peggy Williams showed considerable technical ability as well as dramatic sense in the difficult *rôle* of "Nightmare." Pat Dixon, Miriam Maunsell (soloists), and Peggy Tunbridge, gave very artistic displays of advanced work.

Among the more junior members Dorothy Olden and Edith Mortier (in "Wild Flowers") were outstanding; while June Fielding and Lambie Beatty also showed great promise.

The "Fieldmice" ballet composed of the juvenile pupils caused great amusement. The chief speaking parts were taken by Maeve O'Higgins, Edith Mortier, June Fielding, Maeve O'Donnell, Aileen Maguire, Dickie Davidson and Faith and Joy Telford, all of whom acquitted themselves in a manner that many older folks might well envy.

INCOME TAX APPEALS.

The Income Tax Appeal Commissioners, Messrs. F. J. McCarthy and M. Smidic, are at present absent from their headquarters in Dublin Castle, hearing income tax appeals in different parts of the country. They held a sitting in Tralee yesterday.

A DISABILITY REMOVED.

COLONIAL OFFICE VOTE.

MR. WEDGWOOD AND THE JEWS.

FROM OUR PARLIAMENTARY CORRESPONDENT.
WESTMINSTER, Friday.

"A BILL to remove the incapacity of the President of the Board of Trade for being elected and sitting and voting as a Member of the Commons House of Parliament, and to indemnify certain holders of that office from any penal consequences which they may have incurred by sitting or voting as members of the said House at any time, while they were not capable of so doing, as being holders of that office."

Such were the terms of the short bill which Sir Thomas Inskip (Attorney-General) introduced at the commencement of business this afternoon, in order to meet the difficulty caused by the unexpected discovery that Mr. Runciman and several of his predecessors in office as President of the Board of Trade had incurred monetary penalties amounting to millions in the aggregate by sitting and voting in the House of Commons when they had no legal right to do so.

The Attorney-General explained that the position in which Mr. Runciman and his predecessors found themselves was due to an Act of Parliament passed in 1707. That Act was repealed in the reign of Queen Victoria, but by an oversight it was re-enacted in 1909, the effect being that since that date every President of the Board of Trade was incapable of sitting in the House. In the circumstances he ventured to express the hope that the House would be willing to allow the President of the Board of Trade to take his seat, and to relieve past holders of that office from any anxiety as to possible activities of "the common informer." To prevent a second mistake the bill would, of course, be made retrospective.

Mr. George Lansbury, for the Labour Party, acquiesced in the course proposed, and the bill was passed through all its stages.

COLONIAL OFFICE VOTE.

In introducing the Colonial Office Vote, Sir P. Cunliffe-Lister, a former President of the Board of Trade, said that he had to thank the House for the generous terms which had been accorded him. For years he had been unconsciously living in sin, when he thought he was rightfully married to a department, and he was grateful to the House for making an honest man of him. (Laughter.) He hoped he was quite safe where he was at present.

Proceeding to deal with the financial position of the Colonies, he said that the picture was a very depressing one. Some of them were only able to carry on with grants-in-aid or loans from the Treasury, and a number of others would be in the same position but for the fact that they had been able to accumulate reserves in more prosperous times. There were, he was glad to say, signs of improvement. In 1924 only 6.8 per cent. of our trade was done with the Colonial Empire, but in 1931 the figure had risen to ten per cent. Every colony that was free to do so was giving a substantial preference to this country. What mattered to the exporter and manufacturer here was not that he should get free entry, but an effective preference over foreign competitors.

Mr. John Buchan raised the question of our obligations in Palestine, and Mr. Wedgwood, who followed, created a scene by alleging that the officials there were prejudiced against the Jews, and were acting unfairly towards them.

Vice-Admiral Taylor called upon the hon. member to prove his statements.

Mr. Wedgwood—Confirmation is in my book, "The Seventh Dominion."

Sir P. Cunliffe-Lister said that he entirely repudiated the allegations. He believed that every official in Palestine was properly discharging his duties.

Mr. Wedgwood—Perhaps, the right hon. gentleman will visit Palestine and see for himself.

Admiral Taylor asked Mr. Wedgwood to withdraw his allegations.

Mr. Wedgwood—I certainly will not. The massacres of Jews would never have taken place had the Jews been Englishmen.

Admiral Taylor—That is an abominable statement.

Ultimately the Chairman intervened, and the debate turned to other topics.

The debate was adjourned, and the House rose at 4 p.m.

IRISH ATHLETIC FESTIVAL.

APPEAL FOR FUNDS.

At its last Annual Congress the National Athletic and Cycling Association of Ireland set itself a most ambitious programme. Apart from the re-organisation of sport in Ireland and the usual championships, the programme includes the Tailteann Games, the selection of teams for the Olympic Games at Los Angeles, and the World Cycling Championships at Rome.

The services of Mr. Alex. Nelson, the world famous coach, who, since his engagement last year, has done so much for Irish athletics, have been re-engaged.

General Eoin O'Duffy, who has, at the request of all those who are interested in Irish athletics, withdrawn his resignation, is undertaking "with renewed energy," as he says in an appeal appearing in our advertising columns to-day, to complete the work undertaken last year.

Despite the fact that a substantial balance was still in hand at the last annual Congress, the 1932 programme can only hope to be fulfilled with the sympathy and support of the Irish people. Former contributors are not expected to send additional sums; the appeal is made to those who, interested in the movement towards an Athletic Revival, have not had any former opportunity of rendering assistance. It is proposed to publish a souvenir booklet containing a list of the names of all contributors, and a copy will be sent to every person whose name appears in it. Contributions will also be acknowledged in the Press.

The subscriptions are to be distributed on the following lines:—25 per cent. of the total contributions received from each county will be given as a grant to its County Board; 25 per cent. of the receipts from each province will be granted to its Provincial Council, and 50 per cent. will be retained at headquarters for general purposes.

Last year's appeal resulted in the subscription of £3,370, which far exceeded all expectations, and enabled the N.A.C.A. to undertake a programme which would otherwise have been out of the question. Three international events—the International Cross-Country Championships, the Scottish v. Irish, and the French v. Irish athletic contests—were organised. Mr. Nelson's services were engaged, and a banquet held in honour of former Irish athletic champions.

The 1932 programme may cost more, but the Association has every confidence in the people interested in the building up of a virile race worthy of the country.

LIGHTNING CAUSES AIR CRASH.

Two members of the Royal Air Force had a remarkable escape from injury when their machine ran into a thunderstorm at Northampton early yesterday. The machine appeared to be in difficulties, and before touching the ground was struck by lightning. The windscreen was covered with half an inch of hail and snow, and the pilot crashed into a hedge on an emergency landing ground at the outskirts of the village. The aeroplane was damaged under one wing.

ABOLITION OF CHEMICAL WARFARE.

At a meeting of the Board of Officers of the National Council of Women of Ireland a resolution was passed expressing the desire of the Council to associate itself with the effort being made by the Disarmament Conference to abolish all chemical and bacteriological warfare. Copies of the resolution have been sent to the Disarmament Committee and the Ministry for External Affairs.

Mr. John Taaffe, of Louth House, Louth, who died on August 22nd last, has left personal property of the value of £24,538 12s. 11d. in England and the Irish Free State. The will is proved by Mrs. Mary Hughes, of The Crescent, Dundalk, and Rita O'Neill, of St. Antonia, Dundalk, daughters.

Banned Belfast Film.

Alderman States His Objection.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
BELFAST, Friday.

THERE is considerable criticism in cinema trade circles, and among a section of the public at the action of the Police Committee of the Belfast Corporation in banning the film "Frankenstein" at the Classic Cinema, the largest picture-house in Belfast. A special private view of the film is being arranged, and the members of the Corporation will be invited to attend. The matter probably will be discussed at the meeting of the Corporation on May 2.

Alderman J. W. Nixon, M.P., who is a member of the Police Committee, to-day stated his reasons for voting against the film. He said:

"The duty of acting as censor, of enforcing the cinematograph regulations, and of being responsible for the safety of the public is cast upon the Police Committee. Personally it is an obligation I would gladly be relieved of, and I think so also would the majority of my colleagues. Since Great Britain and the Free State have been dragged into the controversy, let me say at the outset that we can congratulate ourselves on a complete absence of the catastrophies which have occurred in both countries. I am almost eight years on the Committee, and this is the first occasion a film was ordered to be withdrawn. In the Free State, quoted for our guidance and example, they banned ten out of thirty pictures and cut down five."

POSSIBLE EFFECTS.

In this particular case we had to think of the possible effect the picture might have on immature or unbalanced minds. In this connection let me observe that at almost every Court of Assize, or session, defending counsel have advanced the plea that their youthful clients got the inspiration for their crimes at the cinema.

The function of the cinema should be entertainment, amusement, recreation. One of the scenes depicts a little girl bidding good-bye to her daddy on her way to gather flowers. She meets a monster by the lake, and after innocently exchanging her flowers with him he brutally murders her.

Then we have the agony of the father running with the corpse of his child, and other episodes of the same sort. I am not aware that any persons in Belfast, other than our highly-cultured critics, would consider such an exhibition, with all its realities, either amusing or entertaining.

ROAD TRANSPORT ACT.

REGULATIONS ISSUED.

Regulations under the Road Transport Act, 1932, have been issued by the Department of Industry and Commerce. The Act provides that the Minister may appoint a day on and after which no person shall carry on a road passenger service, save under and in accordance with a licence granted to him under the Act. By Order, the Minister has fixed the 25th July, 1932, as the appointed day, and the regulations just issued prescribe that applications for the grant of an annual passenger licence, to commence on the appointed day, shall be lodged with the Secretary, Department of Industry and Commerce, 14 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, not later than the 14th May, 1932.

The regulations also prescribe:—

1. Latest dates for lodging applications for the grant of annual passenger licences to commence on a date later than the appointed day.
2. The latest date for lodging applications for occasional passenger licences.
3. Maximum charges for the carrying of passengers, passengers' luggage and merchandise.
4. Accounts and returns to be kept and furnished to the Department of Industry and Commerce.
5. Fees to be charged for licences.
6. The form in which applications for licences are to be made.

Both the regulations and the forms of application for licences are on sale, and may be obtained from the Government Publications Sale Office, 5 Nassau street, Dublin.

THE LATE DR. W. C. STEVENSON.

MEMORIAL IN STEEVENS'S HOSPITAL.

Professor John Joly yesterday unveiled a memorial in Steevens's Hospital, Dublin, to the memory of Dr. Walter Clegg Stevenson, M.D., D.P.H., a former surgeon and radiologist to the hospital. The memorial took the form of a bronze tablet and a portrait of Dr. Stevenson, the tablet bearing the inscription: "To the memory of Dr. Walter Clegg Stevenson, D.P.H., surgeon to this hospital, 1904-1931. Pioneer in radium treatment. Born 1877—died 1931."

Alderman Hubbard Clark, a governor of the hospital, said that by Dr. Stevenson's death Dublin had lost one who had devoted his life to the use of radium and its possibilities in its application to the relief of suffering and disease. Those most intimate with his life and work, whether in the cause of scientific research, or as a private practitioner, or in his more public capacity of surgeon in that hospital and in the Orthopædic Hospital, all testified to his wholehearted devotion and his unbounded interest in his work. His colleagues and friends in the hospital, by whom he was greatly beloved and was now sadly missed, wishing to perpetuate his memory, had erected this bronze tablet, and had hung his portrait close by that placed to the memory of an early friend and colleague of his own, the late Surgeon Swann.

DR. JOLY'S TRIBUTE.

Professor Joly, in unveiling the tablet, said that his association with Walter Stevenson dated back to a period when he was still a student of medicine in the University of Dublin. Stevenson's life-work only began when, upon quitting the Army, he was appointed to fill a junior post in that time-honoured hospital. A striking success in the treatment of a very dreadful case of facial rodent ulcer, a cure which was evidently traceable to the invisible rays proceeding from a very minute quantity of radium, laid the foundation of Stevenson's devotion to radio-therapy. It was because of the value and greatness of his life's work, brief as it had been, that they were present to do honour to his memory. Stevenson lived for his patients, self was replaced by duty to the helpless sufferer, and there was reason to believe that the fatal termination of the illness from which he died arose out of a sense of duty which overmastered other considerations. They owed to him many contributions to the literature of their time, respecting the claims of the new method of radiotherapy. The beautiful truthfulness of his character shone through out his writings. A sense of responsibility, and of duty towards those sorely afflicted who came to him as the last hope of salvation, seemed to be the well-spring of his ideas, and to animate his critical valuation of suggested advances.

Dr. J. Burke, a colleague of the late Dr. Stevenson, presented Alderman Hubbard Clark with two volumes, to be placed in the library of the hospital.

THE SHANNON BOARD.

INTERVIEW WITH MINISTER.

Members of the Electricity Supply Board, including the Chairman (Mr. R. F. Browne), interviewed the Minister for Industry and Commerce, Mr. Sean Lemass, at Government Buildings, Dublin, yesterday, and discussed matters relating to the Shannon scheme. The Secretary of the Board, Mr. P. J. Dempsey, accompanied the deputation. No information as to the trend of the discussion was made available to the Press.

It was announced in the London Gazette last night that the King has approved the promotion of Sir Isaac Alfred Isaacs, K.C.M.G., Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief of the Commonwealth of Australia, to be G.C.M.G.

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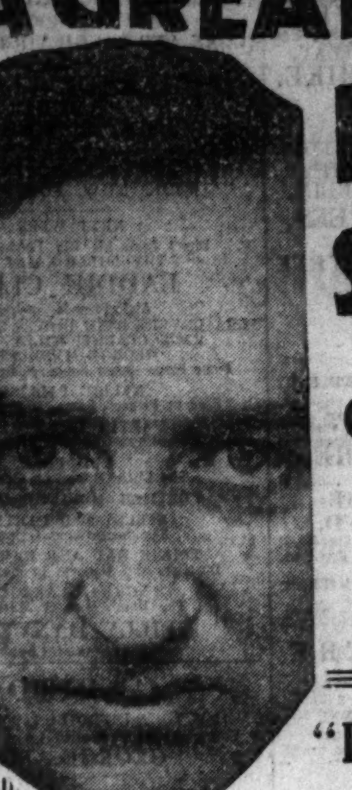

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SPORTING GOSSIP.

Silver Sound Offered for Sale.

Silver Sound, the racehorse on which Fred Rickaby performed his remarkable bareback riding exploit at Sandown Park on Thursday, was put up for sale by auction at Sandown Park yesterday, but did not reach his reserve and was withdrawn at 380 guineas.

Mr. F. Thackray's Recovery.

Mr. Fred Thackray, the amateur rider, who was unconscious for thirteen days after his fall from Gregalach in the Grand National, returned to his home at Calcot, near Reading, yesterday. He is well on the road to recovery, but, for a few days, only his most intimate friends are to be allowed to see him.

MOTOR CYCLING.

DECREASE IN ENTRIES FOR T.T. RACES.

The entries at ordinary fees for the motor cycle T.T. races, to be held in the Isle of Man in June, show a big decrease over last year's total. Seventy-eight machines have been entered, as against 153 last year. In the Senior race there are 23 entries, in the Junior 32, and in the Light-weight 23.

The entries include representatives from several foreign countries and the Colonies, but a number of British firms have dropped out. Entries at double fees will be accepted until the end of April, and a few more are expected before the lists finally close.

TABLE TENNIS.

ST. MATTHIAS'S CLUB.

Some well known players in the Irish Free State took part in a tournament organised by the above club on Wednesday evening last. In the open singles tournament C. A. Kemp defeated N. Neville after a closely contested game. In the ladies' competition the honours went to Miss E. Yeates. At the conclusion of the tournament Mrs. Strong kindly presented the prizes. Dr. Waugh (Secretary, Free State Table Tennis Association), Mr. Harris (Y.M.C.A.) and Mr. Kemp (Acme) acted as Umpires.

THE WATER WAGS BEGIN.

The opening match of the club, which will be the first sailing race of the season on the Dublin coast, is due to come off this afternoon over the club course in harbour, the first gun being timed for 3.45 p.m. How many boats will start is not known, but at least half a dozen are expected at the line, and the number of competitors may go up to a dozen. The Wags are strong this year, nineteen boats being named on the club list, this including four which are still in the builders' hands.

SUNDAY LICENSING HOURS ON THE COAST.

At Bray District Court yesterday Mr. Liam Price, District Justice, granted the application of three Greystones hotel proprietors to substitute the opening hours on Sundays during the summer of 2 p.m. to 9 p.m., instead of 1 p.m. to 8 p.m. Similar rulings were made in the case of two licensed premises at Delgany and one at Kilmacurrig.

Mr. J. G. Magee, solicitor, represented the applicants.

It is announced in the *London Gazette* last night that the King has appointed Mr. James Willoughby Jardine, K.C., to be His Majesty's Solicitor-General of the County Palatine of Durham.

The preservation of fishing stock in the North Sea and the effects of trawling upon it are the chief problem which will be discussed by the International Council for the Exploration of the Sea when it meets at Copenhagen on June 20.

CRICKET.

LEINSTER CLUB'S SUCCESS.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS FOR THE SEASON.

At the annual general meeting of the Leinster Cricket Club, held in the Pavilion, Rathmines, on Thursday, Mr. H. S. Kelly presiding, the following officers were elected for the forthcoming season:—Patron, the Earl of Meath; president, Mr. J. Foxall; hon. secretary, F. G. Connell; hon. assistant secretary, R. L. Cunningham; hon. treasurer, B. J. D. O'Kelly; hon. assistant treasurer, J. R. Graham.

Executive committee—H. S. Kelly, R. H. Lambert, L. O. Owens, G. W. Christie, J. K. C. Edwards, M. J. Burke, H. Johnston, A. E. Bex.

Match committee—R. H. Lambert, J. K. C. Edwards, W. E. Crawford, F. J. Reddy, B. J. D. O'Kelly.

In the hon. secretary's report, which was passed unanimously, reference was made to the record success of the club in competitive cricket in 1931, five trophies having been carried off.

Mr. R. H. Lambert, the captain of the club, was heartily congratulated on having created the magnificent record of being the only player in this country to achieve a century of centuries.

Mr. A. E. Bex was complimented on being elected as hon. secretary to the Leinster Branch, Irish Cricket Union.

CLUB NOTICES.

SANTRY C.C.—The club started practice last week. The following officers were elected at the annual general meeting:—President, Captain G. L. Poe, R.N.; vice-presidents, J. E. Geoghegan, J. S. Jolley, Dr. W. N. Eustace, J. Hammond; captain, J. F. Eustace; vice-captain, W. D. Eustace; hon. secretary, H. J. Hudson, Woodford Cottage, Santry; hon. treasurer, J. S. Jolly, Santry Court, Santry.

PEMBROKE C.C.—General practice to-day at Sydney Parade, 2.30.

Y.M.C.A. C.C.—Net practice to-day at 3 o'clock.

MONKSTOWN C.C.—Open dates for friendly matches:—1st XI.—May 16 (home), June 18 (away). 2nd XI.—June 4, 11 (away); July 9, August 13, 20, 27 (away). 3rd XI.—May 7, 28, July 16 (away). Hon. Sec.: W. J. Meagher, St. Malo, Frescati Park, Blackrock.

PARKHEATH C.C.—Teams for to-day trial match:—"A"—N. C. Quinn (capt.), J. Mahony, J. Connerton, G. McGloughlin, J. H. Norton, J. J. Quinn, J. McNulty, R. Walshe, J. Brearly, T. J. Brady, J. Nolan, J. Kinsella, V. H. Guerrini, S. Guerrini. "B"—J. W. Lindsay (capt.), N. Garland, T. McManamly, J. Parkinson, P. Collins, G. McDermott, M. Lucas, P. Kelly, G. E. Woodcock, P. Keller, L. Foxe, P. Foster, James Quinn, L. Lysaght. Meet on Mountjoy sports ground at 2.30.

AVOCA SCHOOL C.C.—The following will take part in a Past and Present match at 3 o'clock to-day at Avoca School:—H. D. Sarratt, V. Perrin, H. V. Blackwell, A. D. Scott, J. L. Morris, F. C. O'Connor, J. A. MacDonogh, D. J. Coulson, R. F. Browne, A. H. Thompson, J. E. Adamson, B. M. Kennedy, D. M. Stewart, J. K. Craig, W. Lee, W. Kelly, H. C. Lea, A. Kelly, R. K. Dunlop, T. Johnston, H. Sloan, A. Johnston.

POINT-TO-POINT.

KILLINICK HARRIERS.

Killinick Harriers point-to-point races were held on Thursday at Lingstown, Wexford. There was a very large attendance. Details:—

NOVICE RACE.

Mr. J. Davis's TOO TRUE	1
Mr. J. Codd's WINK	2
Mr. Codd's PLAIN CHATTER	3

OPEN HEAVY-WEIGHT RACE.

Mr. W. Tobin's BLUE PEARL	1
Mr. D. Reynolds's BILL JONES	2
Mr. B. Hickey's MAGNESIA	3

FARMERS' RACE.

Mr. E. Murphy's ROBINSTOWN	1
Mr. F. J. Murphy's GANDHI	2
Mr. R. F. Grant's FLEETWING	3

LADIES' RACE.

Miss Morgan Byrne's DONAN	1
Mr. J. Codd's SORE TOES	2
Miss Agnes Bolger's STILT	3

OPEN LIGHT-WEIGHT RACE.

Miss O'Connor's BOVINE	1
Mr. E. Fitzgerald's RASPUTIN	2
Mr. W. J. Walsh's EMPIRE LASS	3

COBS' RACE.

Mr. J. Gahan's BLUEBELL PUZZLE	1
Mr. M. Furlong's THE JEW	2
Mr. J. Codd's SILVER WINGS	3

Mr. C. J. Lester, one of the best-known yarn agents in Leicester and district, was found shot dead in his office at Leicester yesterday. A revolver was lying near him.

PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

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NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

The text of the bill to remove the Oath of Allegiance from the Constitution of the Free State was issued yesterday. It is described by our Political Correspondent as a drastic and far-reaching measure. Mr. Cosgrave has submitted an amendment in which he appeals for negotiations and agreement between the Executive Council and the British Government.—(Page 9.)

The Minister for Posts and Telegraphs announced in the Dail yesterday that last year's accounts for broadcasting in the Free State were expected to show a surplus of revenue over expenditure.—(Page 10.)

Lady Myles, on behalf of the All-Ireland Donkey Protection Society, presented awards to members of the Civic Guard in the Mansion House, Dublin, yesterday.—(Page 6.)

There is considerable criticism in Belfast of the action of the Police Committee of the Corporation in banning the film "Frankenstein."—(Page 7.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

The House of Commons yesterday passed through all its stages a bill to remove the incapacity of the President of the Board of Trade for sitting and voting in the Commons, and to indemnify him and his predecessors in office.—(Page 10.)

ABROAD.

Severe fighting has again broken out in Manchuria between Japanese troops and Chinese forces opposed to the new *régime*.—(Page 9.)

No solution of the Far East problem has been found at Geneva. China refuses to contemplate any watering down of the vital clause in the League's draft resolution, and Japan says the clause is "absolutely unacceptable."—(Page 10.)

SPORTING.

At Leopardstown yesterday Sol de Terre won the Pavilion Plate, Prince Sham the Stillorgan Plate, The Doe the Spring Plate, Golearia the Leopardstown Steeplechase, Faithful Tag the Tower Plate, and Cold Punch the Bray Steeplechase.—(Page 13.)

At Sandown yesterday Foxhunter won the Tudor Stakes.—(Page 12.)

At Stockton yesterday Portofino won the North Yorkshire Handicap.—(Page 12.)

FINANCIAL.

London Stock Markets were firmer on the tariff proposals. Oil shares remained a very weak spot.—(Page 14.)

The Treasury bill rate was 1 13-16 per cent., the lowest since April 20, 1923. Loan and discount rates were easier.—(Page 14.)

In a quiet Dublin Market Funds were firm and Land Bonds strong.—(Page 14.)

Mr. de Valera's Plan.

Yesterday the *Dáil* urged the Free State Government to an immediate attack on unemployment. Supporters of the Government pleaded for time. They argued that Ministers were fresh in office, and that unemployment was only one of the items in a large and difficult programme. The plea would be reasonable in other circumstances, and nobody wishes to press the Government unduly; but the present circumstances are exceptional. In the first place, the Free State's problem of unemployment is really urgent. She was fortunate to be almost the last victim of the economic depression which prevails throughout the world, but now its full force has descended upon her. Shrunken markets and increased costs have restricted the farmer's activities. Industry is lamentably slack in the towns, where distress has been enlarged by the influx of people from country districts, who are now a burden on the rates. In the next place, the Government's plea for time can be countered out of its own mouth. Mr. de Valera's mandate to abolish the Oath of Allegiance may be questionable, but his mandate to relieve unemployment is beyond dispute. He went to the country on a promise that he would find "work for all" the unemployed—by his own computation, some eighty thousand persons. Furthermore, his party announced definitely that it was armed with a plan which guaranteed swift fulfilment of this undertaking.

We hope, and the country must hope, that the Government's plan will be produced without delay. The need for a good plan, and a prompt plan, is increased by the general character of the Government's policy. Economically, that policy, so far as it has been unfolded, threatens to aggravate the problem of unemployment. Mr. de Valera's Government is pledged to a system of tariffs which—if we may judge the whole Hercules by his already visible foot—must affect every aspect of commerce and industry in the Free State. Three new, and drastic, tariffs are announced to-day. High tariffs may benefit some classes of workers, but they will increase the cost of living, and such increase is one of the most potent causes of unemployment. It discourages industry and adds new hardships to the plight of the workless. Tariffs on the farmer's instruments of service must multiply his costs and must reduce the number of his workers. Tariffs on clothes and food must bear with exceeding harshness on the professional and other classes which get no benefit from them. Even for those to whom they bring employment the benefits must be largely illusory, because the increased cost of living will diminish the true value of wages. The proposed bounty on butter is a case in point. It may, or may not, help the farmer, but its sure result will be to make butter an unknown commodity on the tables of the poor. Mr. de Valera's plan, therefore, must be not merely such a plan as would have solved the Free State's unemployment problem twelve months ago; it must cope also with the new dangers and distresses which his general policy involves.

Politically, Mr. de Valera has introduced into the Free State's affairs a factor that gravely discourages employment—the factor of insecurity. Nobody knows where the Free State will stand six months hence. Nobody knows whether she will be still a member of the British Commonwealth, or will find herself excluded from all the benefits of that potent and profitable society. Everybody knows, however, with painful certainty, that exclusion from the British Commonwealth must spell wholesale confusion for the Free State's trade and commerce. In these circumstances industry naturally refuses to embark on new enterprises, and there is no reduction in the melancholy list of the unemployed. A deputy stated in the *Dáil* yesterday that building contractors were holding their hands and that large firms in Dublin had suspended schemes of development. It is idle to suggest that such persons are faint-hearted citizens who do not know their proper business. It is ludicrous to charge with disloyalty a great firm like Messrs. Jacob, from whom a high sense of obligation to their workers has extorted a warning of the results of exile from the Commonwealth. The insecurity exists, and, so long as it continues to be fostered by Mr. de Valera's attitude to the Anglo-Irish Treaty, the normal progress of national industry will be stayed. Thus Mr. de Valera's promised plan for the abolition of unemployment must be moulded not only on the new economic facts, but on the new political facts. It must be not only a cure for old ills, but an antidote to his own specifics. The country awaits it eagerly, and its early production is a duty to the Labour Party, whose position between the Scylla of the Oath and the Charybdis of unemployment is equally perilous and humiliating.

Manchuria.

Any commotion in Manchuria is a serious matter to-day, since the province is the focal point of all Russo-Japanese rivalries. Thus the report that fighting has broken out between the Mikado's troops and Chinese forces, which are opposed to the new State of Manchow-Kuo, is disquieting. A telegram from Harbin states that the "insurgents" have seized a branch of the Chinese Eastern Railway east of Imienpo, and that the Murai Brigade already is in action with them at Wukimiho. In view of the fact that the railway has been cut behind it, the Murai Brigade's position is extremely uncomfortable; but, no doubt, the superior discipline and equipment of the Japanese forces will extricate the brigade from its difficulties. Such points, however, are merely tactical; the salient feature of the situation is that this episode has produced another Russo-Japanese "incident." Moscow has seized the opportunity to demand the release of M. Greskovsky, the stationmaster at Imienpo, who was arrested by the Japanese on the ground of collusion with the "insurgents." Whatever may be the outcome of this particular dispute, Manchuria is certain to be a source of further trouble. Not only is the Chinese Eastern Railway under a dual control, but the new State appears to be the mouthpiece of a Japanese programme, which makes little allowance for Chinese feeling and less for Russian aspirations. Its latest effort, in the matter of the League of Nations' Commission of Inquiry, is a pronouncement that Dr. Wellington Koo and other Chinese officials will be liable to extreme penalties if they dare to enter its territories. Since Japan ultimately will be blamed for the new Republic's misdeeds, it behoves the Tokyo Government to bring its vassal to order with the least possible delay. Indeed, any alienation of Europe's sympathy with Japan will encourage the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics in its new and sabre-rattling attitude. Until lately the Japanese have refrained from military activities in the northern portion of Manchuria out of deference to Russian susceptibilities. Now the behaviour of the Chinese "insurgents" has forced the Japanese command to depart from this tactful policy. How far the Soviet Government will tolerate the new procedure remains to be seen, but its restraint probably will depend very much upon the view that it takes of Japan's relations with the other Powers. Accordingly, Japan's threat that she may leave the League of Nations as a gesture of protest must be deemed almost suicidal.

Trade with Russia.

Some weeks ago the news that an agreement had been made by British consumers to purchase vast quantities of timber from Russia aroused a general feeling of disquiet. Not only did it appear that this deal must operate harshly against the interests of British Columbia and other timber-producing parts of the Commonwealth, but an already grave disparity in Britain's balance of trade with the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics threatened to become worse. Such fears were not mitigated by the knowledge that Russian timber was felled and prepared for export by workers whose lot amounted to a virtual slavery. Thus Viscount Snowden's statement in the House of Lords is very welcome. "The Government," he said, "is not at all satisfied with the disparity between the imports from Russia and our exports to Russia." Lord Snowden then proceeded to show that credits for trade purposes were not given to the Russians, but to British concerns, so that the orders received by them in their transactions with Russia might be financed. Similar credits, indeed, were available to British traders throughout the world. Nevertheless, in view of the unsatisfactory conditions, the Government has decided to attach more stringent terms to any issue of credit where Russia is concerned. The details of these terms are under consideration, but there is reason to believe that the British Government intends to provide adequate safeguards against loss to trader and taxpayer alike. We could wish that Lord Snowden had been able to promise that the contracts of certain trusts with Russia would be liable to some form of official supervision. Britain's position at the Ottawa Conference will be unenviable if the Dominions are able to charge her business houses with a neglect of the Empire's producers and manufacturers.

Better Broadcasts.

A lesson can be drawn from the figures which were submitted to the *Dáil* yesterday by the Minister for Posts and Telegraphs. He declared that the total revenue in respect of wireless broadcasting for the past year amounted to £59,229. This sum included £14,750 from the sale of licences and £43,129 from Customs duties on imported apparatus. Expenditure amounted to some three thousand pounds less than revenue. In nearly all countries the broadcasting services can maintain themselves—or, with slight help, can maintain themselves—by the sale of licences; and we may well ask why less than a quarter of the Free State's broadcasting service is provided by this normal means. Apologising for the fact that only one *per cent.* of the population possessed receiving sets—and four-fifths of that number significantly is equipped with valve sets—Senator Connolly suggested that, as an agricultural community, the Free State might be "slower to acquire the wireless mentality." The main reason, however, clearly is that people do not think that the programmes submitted from Dublin and Cork are worthy of their sovereigns and half-sovereigns. It is gratifying to learn from Senator Connolly that a substantial improvement will be shown in the programmes from the new station at Athlone. "We cannot afford," he said, "to have poor or discreditable programmes, and, if necessary, we will have to lose money in the first year in order to raise the general standard of our broadcasts." Every citizen must hope that this resolution will be pursued. The Free State's reputation ought to stand far higher than it stands at present in the matter of broadcasting.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

Yesterday the King and Queen visited Aldershot, where they witnessed a demonstration of tanks and armoured cars. After the display Their Majesties inspected several units and were entertained at luncheon by the Commander-in-Chief, General Sir Charles Harrington.

The Duke of York unveiled a tablet yesterday for the Urban District Council on the Glebe land of Finchley. His Royal Highness will attend the gathering of the old comrades of the Somerset Light Infantry on Thursday, May 12th, at the depôt at Taunton.

Princess Victoria, who is at Coppins, her residence in Buckinghamshire, has been enjoying many long motor drives lately, and on Thursday visited the King and Queen at Windsor Castle.

Princess Beatrice will return next week to Kensington Palace, where Princess Alice and the Earl of Athlone will arrive next Tuesday from the Continent.

At the Requiem Mass for Countess Lutzow in Westminster Cathedral many Irish friends were among the congregation, including the Marquess and Marchioness of Donegall, the Hon. Georgina O'Brien, Mrs. Frank D'Arcy and Mr. and Mrs. Nash.

Lord and Lady Dunsany and the Hon. Randal Plunkett have left Dunsany Castle for London. Mr. Plunkett will sail for India next Thursday.

Lord and Lady Glentanar, who were the guests of the Earl and Countess of Meath for Punchestown Races, have left Kilruddery for Forest of Glen Tanar, Aberdeenshire. Lord and Lady Louth will leave Louth Hall, Ardee, next week for Summerfield House, Elstree.

Earl Grey and Colonel Sir Henry Goold-Adams, who are renting Princess Arthur of Connaught's salmon fishing on the River Deveran, are entertaining a party of friends at Banff.

Sir John Milbanke, who has been fishing for a fortnight in Galway, has returned to London. Lady Henry has arrived on a visit to her sister, Lady Stokes, at Howth.

The engagement is announced between Viscount Milton, son of the Earl and Countess Fitzwilliam, of Wentworth Woodhouse, Rotheram, and Coollatin, Shillelagh, Co. Wicklow, and Miss Olive Dorothea Plunket, younger daughter of the Right Revd. the Honble. Bishop Plunket and the Honble. Mrs. Plunket, of St. Anne's, Clontarf, Dublin.

A marriage has been arranged, and will take place early in June, between Captain F. W. Taylor, Nigerian Civil Service, only son of the late W. Taylor, of Inkpen, Berks, and Katherine Clare, daughter of the late T. W. Wilkinson and Mrs. Wilkinson, of 72 Kenilworth square, Dublin.

The engagement is announced between Captain Percy St. George Lambkin, younger son of Charles Ernest Lambkin, of Carndonagh, Foxrock, County Dublin, and Marion Marguerite, only daughter of William Holden, P.C., and Mrs. Holden, of Temora, Booterstown, County Dublin.

The marriage of Mr. B. R. Armitage, of Noan, Thurles, Co. Tipperary, and Miss Audrey Williams, Kahumingi, Masterton, New Zealand, will take place very quietly at St. Michael's Church, Chester square, London, on Friday, 29th April.

Dr. H. Massy Westropp has left "Abercorn," Sydney Parade, until May 9th.

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At the Viceregal Pavilion, during the Phœnix Park Races to-day, Switzers have arranged to give an Exhibition of Fashions by Mannequin.

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WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—*A depression centred near the Faroes is beginning to fill up, while moving south-east slowly. A trough of low pressure extending from Northern Scotland to South-West Ireland will move eastward. In Scotland and Ireland there will be showers and bright intervals, with, perhaps, some sleet or snow on the hills in Scotland. In England rain at first will be followed by an improvement spreading from the West.*

Ireland, all Districts.—*Moderate or fresh north-westerly wind; showers and bright intervals; rather cool.*

Irish Sea and St. George's Channel.—*Moderate to fresh or strong westerly to north-westerly winds; occasional rain or showers; bright intervals; sea moderate to rather rough.*

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THE SUN

	TO-DAY.	TO-MORROW.
RISES	6. 9	6. 6
SETS	8.39	8.41
LIGHTING-UP TIME	9.39	9.41

HIGH WATER—DUBLIN.

MORNING	1.39	2.24
EVENING	2. 0	2.46

LONDON LETTER.

THE NEW TARIFFS.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
FRIDAY NIGHT.

All the Liberal members of the Government intend to oppose the additional tariffs that will be enforced under the new Treasury Order. This Order will not form part of the Finance Bill, so that the Ministers will be able to vote against it while not voting directly against the Budget. It is rumoured that there has been a new arrangement in the Cabinet on the "agreeing to differ" question, and that Liberal and Labour supporters of the Government are to have full liberty to vote as they please on tariff matters. In the circumstances, it is not unlikely that there will be a fierce debate next Tuesday when the Order comes up for approval by the House, though on this point opposition is really useless. The Government is in a very strong position, since tariff changes are made on the recommendations of the Tariff Advisory Committee. The most important of the new duties is that placed on iron and steel, and this will be in operation for three months only, in order that the Committee may decide whether such a tax on a great basic industry is sound.

Budget Amendments.

Now that the initial stage of the Budget has been passed, it is likely that many amendments will be placed on the Order Paper on points which have not been received with approval by different sections of opinion in the House. Private members may not propose an amendment which will increase a tax, but they can move for a reduction. The reduction of the beer duty certainly will be proposed, and there can be little doubt that the amendment will be supported strongly. It is probable that another amendment will ask for the abolition of the duty on raw silk, and also of that on artificial silk. It is claimed that there is a considerable amount of dissatisfaction in regard to these duties. Some highly interesting debates can be expected on all these points, and it is said that Mr. Churchill is likely to lead the attack on the beer duty.

The Wakefield By-Election.

After Mr. Chamberlain's Budget speech on Tuesday several members of the House of Commons remarked that it would cost the Conservative Party the Wakefield seat. Possibly, the return of Mr. Greenwood, Minister of Health in the late Labour Government, reflects the disappointment experienced among the working people at the lack of a change in the beer duty and other duties. The Labour Party is highly delighted at its victory, and will welcome the return of Mr. Greenwood to Westminster enthusiastically. As he had a higher position in the Labour Ministry than that occupied by Mr. Lansbury, it has been suggested that he would assume the leadership of the Labour Party in Parliament, but this, I understand, is unlikely. Mr. Lansbury was chosen leader by the Labour remnant after the general election, and will remain until a successor is elected in his stead.

Denmark and the Free State.

The *Evening Standard* points out to-day that one aspect of Danish concern over Britain's fiscal policy is seen in the prominence given in the Danish Press to Irish news. Every development in the dispute between Great Britain and the Irish Free State is treated in detail, and every speech by Mr. de Valera and Mr. J. H. Thomas on the subject is quoted in full. Naturally, the Danes, who compete with Ireland in dairy produce, are hoping fervently that Mr. de Valera will cut himself off from the benefits of Empire protection.

An Anomaly Removed.

The bill to protect Mr. Walter Runciman and his immediate predecessors from the penalties that they unwittingly have incurred by sitting in the House of Commons as Presidents of the Board of Trade—a state of things forbidden by a forgotten law—was passed through all its stages in the House to-day, and will be given similar treatment in the House of Lords on Monday. The reason for this hasty legislation is that the Board of Trade was initiated under an Act of 1707 as a committee, and the Act prevented the President from election to the House of Commons. There was no such disqualification if the President was a Peer. In 1826 a new Act setting up a new Board of Trade was passed, but in 1909, when it was decided to increase the salary of the President, the 1826 Act was repealed and a new Act was passed. Nobody noticed that by the repeal the disqualification regarding membership of the House of Commons was restored, since the Act of 1707 still stood.

Economy in State Departments.

I have mentioned already that a section of the Conservative Party in the House of Commons intends to pursue the question of economy unrelentingly during the session. Next Monday the Secretary to the Treasury will be asked to point out whether any, and, if so, which departments of State have a smaller *personnel* at the present time than they had in 1913; and whether there has been any reduction in expenditure in any Government departments within the period mentioned.

Civil Servants' Pay.

The bonus problem in the British Civil Service is being considered by the Treasury, and various solutions have been put forward. So far, however, none has met with approval. A scheme for the consolidation of pay and bonus was drawn up some time ago, but objections were raised, and it was not continued. A modified plan of consolidation is now being prepared, which, in view of the further fall in the cost of living figure, on which the bonus is based, may meet with a better reception. At present the bonus is calculated on a figure slightly higher than the level of the cost of living.

Gold from Paris.

A mysterious shipment of gold from Paris startled Lombard street to-day. A quarter of a million sterling came by air, and there is curiosity whether it may not be the advance agent of even larger sums. It is said that the shipment is one of a special character, the result of a purely private transaction, and is not arranged by the Bank of France. It is said also to consist of gold coins from America, which have been lying for months in a Paris bank—the property of an American person. This gold has been transferred here to the vaults of a London bank, but the reason for the move is unknown.

Argentine Visitors.

A lengthy list of engagements will face the party of nine Argentine students who are to arrive here on Whit Monday for a stay of one month. The visitors, who will be received by the Prince of Wales, will be entertained by the Government and by universities, including Oxford and Cambridge. Sir W. Robertson, formerly British Ambassador at Buenos Aires, is chairman of the reception committee, which has arranged for visits to Wimbledon, Roehampton, the English universities, athletic meetings, and for a flight over London. The visit is in the nature of a return for the entertainment of a party from Oxford and Cambridge which visited the Argentine last year.

DATE OF LAUSANNE CONFERENCE.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
PARIS, Friday.

It is reported here that the heads of the delegations at Geneva have agreed to fix June 16 as the date of meeting of the Lausanne Conference, and to offer the presidency to M. Theunis, ex-Premier of Belgium.

MR. COSGRAVE'S STAND ON THE OATH.

APPEAL FOR NEGOTIATION AND AGREEMENT.

DRASTIC AND FAR-REACHING MEASURE PROPOSED.

ATTITUDE OF THE LABOUR PARTY.

BY OUR POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT.

THE text of the bill to amend the Constitution by the elimination of the Oath of Allegiance, which was introduced by President de Valera on Wednesday last, has now been issued.

While, comparatively speaking, a very short measure, it is far-reaching, and, in the opinion of experts, goes even beyond the limits outlined by Mr. de Valera in his preliminary speeches.

It proposes—

to delete the whole of Article 17 of the Constitution;
to amend the Constitution of the Irish Free State Act of 1922 by eliminating Section 2; and
to amend Article 50 of the Constitution by limiting amendments to the Constitution within the terms of the Treaty.

What exactly will be the constitutional position of the Free State if, and when, this bill is passed by the Oireachtas, it is difficult to say. That its relationship with the British Commonwealth of Nations will have been materially altered seems, however, to be inevitable, and its position will differ in at least one important aspect from that of the other Dominions.

The opinion was expressed yesterday that the new bill has apparently been kept closely within the terms of the Westminster Statute, and that if it did not actually infringe the Treaty of 1921, its purport will be to ignore that instrument altogether.

Special attention is drawn in this connection to the proposal to repeal Section 2 of the Irish Free State Act of 1922, which makes it illegal for anything to be done which would be in any way repugnant to the Treaty. This is held to be, to some extent, an admission that the excision of the Oath would be repugnant, and, if so, it would be in the power of any citizen to proceed, by way of an action in the High Courts, to establish the point as to whether or not the proposal now made is, in fact, repugnant, and, therefore, null and void. The Government is taking no risks in this respect.

Moreover, it is held by some authorities that this Act was identical with one passed at Westminster, as required by the Treaty, and is, therefore, not capable of being repealed by unilateral action.

On Wednesday next the motion for the second reading of the bill will be taken. On that occasion Mr. Cosgrave, leader of the Opposition, will move the following amendment:—

> "Believing that the rights and liberties and the economic freedom and privileges assured to the people by the Treaty of 1921 are placed in jeopardy by the bill, the Dail declines to give it a second reading, pending negotiations and agreement between the Executive Council and the British Government upon the question at issue."

The terms of this motion indicate the line which the Opposition will adopt. It will plead for "negotiation and agreement," and in this it will, no doubt, recall the fact that the Treaty is by no means impossible of amendment, if the matter is approached in the right way. In fact, it has already been altered, by agreement of the high contracting parties, at least three times.

It is generally believed that the Labour Party will support the bill. In their official statement of policy they made it clear that they had no love for the Oath, but they did take their stand on maintaining the Treaty. It will, of course, be argued that, in removing the Oath from the Constitution, there is no infringement of the Treaty. That is a point upon which there will be a sharp division of opinion.

The possibility of a second, and even a third, amendment, setting forth entirely different points of view, was discussed yesterday, but, in regard to these, no definite information was available. It is recalled that Mr. Frank McDermot, in his speech on Wednesday, wound up with the intimation that, if the bill were persisted in, he contemplated introducing a motion requesting the Government to proceed with the necessary steps to leave the British Commonwealth, and so "get rid of all this futile and exasperating nonsense." Whether he will do so remains to be seen.

TEXT OF THE BILL.

The Constitution (Removal of Oath) Bill, 1932, is in the following terms:—

An Act to remove the obligation now imposed by law on members of the Oireachtas and Ministers who are not members of the Executive Council to take an oath, and for that purpose to amend the Constitution and also the Constitution of the Irish Free State (Saorstat Eireann) Act, 1922.

Be it enacted by the Oireachtas of Saorstat Eireann as follows:—

1. The Constitution shall be and is hereby amended as follows, that is to say:—

(a) by the deletion of Article 17 thereof; and

(b) by the deletion of the words "and shall comply with the provisions of Article 17 of this Constitution" now contained in Article 55 thereof.

2. Section 2 of the Constitution of the Irish Free State (Saorstat Eireann) Act, 1922 (No. 1 of 1922), is hereby repealed.

3. Article 50 of the Constitution shall be and is hereby amended by the deletion of the words "within the terms of the scheduled treaty" now contained therein.

4. This Act may be cited as the Constitution (Removal of Oath) Act, 1932.

THE OATH.

Article 17 of the Constitution which it is proposed to delete is as follows:—

"The Oath to be taken by members of the Oireachtas shall be in the following form:—

"I, ————, do solemnly swear true faith and allegiance to the Constitution of the Irish Free State, as by law established, and that I will be faithful to His Majesty King George V., his heirs and successors by law, in virtue of the common citizenship of Ireland with Great Britain, and her adherence to, and membership of, the group of nations forming the British Commonwealth of Nations.

"Such Oath shall be taken and subscribed by every member of the Oireachtas before taking his seat therein before the Representative of the Crown, or some person authorised by him."

FROM ARTICLE 55.

The words proposed to be deleted from Article 55 of the Constitution are indicated by italics. The article is as follows:—

"Ministers who shall not be members of the Executive Council may be appointed by the representative of the Crown, *and shall comply with the provisions of Article 17 of this Constitution.*

"Every such Minister shall be nominated by Dail Eireann on the recommendation of a Committee of Dail Eireann, chosen by a method to be determined by Dail Eireann, so as to be impartially representative of Dail Eireann. Should a recommendation not be acceptable to Dail Eireann, the Committee may continue to recommend names until one is found acceptable. The total number of Ministers, including the Ministers of the Executive Council, shall not exceed twelve."

QUESTION OF REPUGNANCY TO THE TREATY.

Section 2 of the Irish Free State (Saorstat Eireann) Act, 1922 (No. 1 of 1922), which is to be repealed by the new bill, is as follows:—

"2. The said Constitution shall be construed with reference to the Articles of Agreement for a Treaty between Great Britain and Ireland set forth in the Second Schedule hereto annexed (hereinafter referred to as 'The Scheduled Treaty'), which are hereby given the force of law, and, if any provision of the said Constitution or of any amendment thereof or of any law made thereunder is in any respect repugnant to any of the provisions of the Scheduled Treaty, it shall to the extent only of such repugnancy be absolutely void and inoperative, and the Parliament and the Executive Council of the Irish Free State (Saorstat Eireann) shall respectively pass such further legislation and do all such other things as may be necessary to implement the Scheduled Treaty."

It is important to note that Section 2 of the Treaty (Confirmation of Amending Agreement) Act, 1925, provides that "all references in Section 2 of the Irish Free State (Saorstat Eireann) Act, 1922, to the Treaty of 1921, shall be construed, and have effect as references to the said Treaty of 1921 as amended by the Agreement set forth in the schedule to this Act, and accordingly all references in the Constitution to the Scheduled Treaty shall be construed as references to the said Treaty of 1921 as amended by the said Agreement."

"WITHIN THE TERMS OF THE TREATY."

The terms of Article 50 referred to in Section 3 of the new bill are given below. The words to be deleted are in italics:—

"Amendments to this Constitution *within the terms of the Scheduled Treaty* may be made by the Oireachtas, but no such amendment passed by both Houses of the Oireachtas, after the expiration of a period of 16 years from the date of the coming into operation of this Constitution, shall become law, unless the same shall after it has been passed or deemed to have been passed by the said two Houses of the Oireachtas have been submitted to a Referendum of the people, and unless a majority of the voters on the register shall have recorded their votes on such Referendum, and either the votes of a majority of the voters on the register or two-thirds of the votes recorded shall have been cast in favour of such amendment. Any such amendment may be made within the said period of 16 years by way of ordinary legislation."

UNEMPLOYMENT IN DUBLIN.

It is understood that a deputation from the Dublin Corporation will be received at the Department of Local Government next Monday, concerning unemployment in Dublin.

Lord Melchett underwent a slight operation at his hotel at Jerusalem yesterday, says a Reuter message. He arrived in Palestine on March 22 on family business. Lady Melchett is with him.

IS STORMONT TO BE "DRY?"

VEXED QUESTION IN THE NORTH.

HOW LEGISLATORS MAY GET BEER.

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Friday.

THE latest point of controversy is whether beer and other alcoholic liquors shall be available in the new Parliament building, for members of the Northern Senate and House of Commons.

The Presbyterian Church in Ireland owns the Assembly's College, which has been the Parliament's temporary home, and in its dining rooms no intoxicating liquor has been supplied. Several attempts to introduce it were opposed by temperance members within, and by the Temperance Party without, the House.

Last year, when several departments were transferred to Stormont, intoxicating liquor was provided in the civil servants' dining-room. Attention was called to the fact, however, and when the Temperance Party pointed out that the building was not licensed the Minister of Home Affairs intervened, and the sale of intoxicating liquors ceased.

SUBJECT REVIVED.

The question now is raised in view of the removal of both Houses to Stormont in October next.

Colonel Sharman Crawford raised the subject this week in the Senate. He suggested that beer should be available for members having luncheon in the House. The deputy leader of the Senate replied that it was a matter for the Kitchen Committee. Next day the Prime Minister (Viscount Craigavon), replying to an interjection, declared that there would be no bar and no beer at Stormont. In the meantime, however, the Kitchen and Refreshment Committee has recommended that no general bar shall be established, but that members of the House of Commons and the Senate may be supplied with intoxicating liquor if they so desire.

There, for the moment, the matter rests; but, as the Temperance Party is beginning an agitation to make the new Parliament House bone-dry, the public may expect to hear much more about the matter.

MR. LANG TO FACE THE ELECTORATE.

ISSUE TO BE DECIDED NEXT TUESDAY?

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

SYDNEY, Saturday.

The action of the High Court yesterday, in refusing Mr. Lang's application for an injunction to restrain New South Wales banks from paying moneys received on account of New South Wales over to the Commonwealth Government is one more set-back for the State's extremist Premier in his long struggle with the Federal Government, and the Political Correspondent of the *Sydney Morning Herald* says that the Government seemingly realises that an election is inevitable.

When the New South Wales Parliament meets on Tuesday next, Mr. Lang will, according to the same authority, submit drastic financial and validating measures which it is expected that the Legislative Council—the non-elected Chamber which the Labour Premier is anxious to abolish—will reject.

It is not expected that Sir Philip Game, the Governor, will intervene in the next few days.

[NOTE.—The tremendous anti-Labour turnover of votes at the Federal elections in December last, when only four Lang men and fourteen candidates of the Federal Labour Party were returned for the whole country, suggests that the prospects of the Lang Government in any appeal to the State electorate would not be very bright. Moreover, Lang candidates secured only 61 out of 678 seats in the elections to the councils of the suburbs of Sydney and the adjacent Shires early in January last.]

SCOTT'S FLIGHT TO AUSTRALIA.

COMPANION MACHINE ON LAST STAGES.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

BIMA (DUTCH EAST INDIES), Friday.

Mr. Frank Richards, who landed here this morning from England in his Moth 'plane, intends to wait at Kupang for the arrival of Mr. Charles Scott, who is trying to beat the England-Australia "record," and fly on to Australia with him.

Mr. Richards then plans to fly back to England with Mr. Scott.

Mr. Scott left Basrah at 2.30 this morning. He had been delayed by dust storms and head winds.

ROYAL DUTCH-SHELL GROUP.

STATEMENT BY LORD BEARSTED.

An official statement signed by Lord Bearsted was issued in London yesterday by the "Shell" Transport and Trading Company, Limited.

It states:—"Various rumours have been circulating in financial centres, purporting to be authentic information, as to the position of the Royal Dutch-Shell group. These rumours have every appearance of having been circulated with malicious intent by persons having as their object the achievement of personal gain.

"The 'Shell' Company, like every other concern, must feel the effects of the general trade depression which exists all over the world. The financial position of the company, however, and of the concerns with which it is interested, is as strong and as liquid as it has ever been, and it is the definite policy of those who are directing the affairs of the company to maintain this financial strength in order that there can be no doubt whatsoever as to the company's capability of weathering not only the existing storm, but any storm that is likely to arise in the future."

MERSEY DOCKS.

IMPROVED SHIPPING FACILITIES.

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

LIVERPOOL, Friday.

The Mersey Docks and Harbour Board is spending a million and a half in modernising and canalising the central and north system of docks, so that the largest coasting and cross-Channel ships may be able to dock at any stage of the tide.

Mr. R. D. Holt, Chairman of the Harbour Board, at the opening of a new rolling bascule-bridge, and the admission of water into the new Trafalgar Dock to-day, pointed out that it would now be possible for vessels such as those trading between Liverpool and Belfast and Dublin to save anything up to ten hours in reaching their berths in dock. The improvements will also make a considerable difference to boats trading with Cork, Newry and Dundalk.

IN THE DAIL.

CALM AFTER THE STORM.

A BREEZE FROM BACK BENCHES.

TELEGRAM CHARGES.

THE NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED.

BY OUR SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE.

AFTER their stirring battles of the previous couple of days, party leaders were either off duty or content to hold a "watching brief" at yesterday's very depleted meeting of the Dail, and the back-benchers were able to have their fling.

Technically, of course, Mr. Denis Gorey, Mr. Cosgrave's agricultural ally from Carlow-Kilkenny, is a back-bencher, though actually he sits on the front row of seats below the gangway on the Opposition left, with only the width of the gangway between himself and the leader of the Opposition, and right under the lee of the Press gallery, to the occupants of which he is now nothing more than a deep, rumbling voice and an occasional surface of black hair, instead of the full-faced, rubicund presence which they knew so well before the last election.

From this secluded fastness Mr. Gorey's bass tones were continually striking the ear, and the net result of his incursions into the proceedings was a couple of lessons on the use of pleasant words to convey an unpleasant meaning. The first was when Mr. Gorey, apparently shocked at the prospect which the Minister for Posts and Telegraphs had held out of a possible reduction in the porterage charges for telegrams, pointed out that porterage already entailed a substantial loss.

"Not a loss," corrected the Minister, with severe emphasis, "but a cost."

WHEN A LOSS BECOMES A COST.

Now, it is extremely interesting in this connection to note that only the previous day the Minister, in presenting his estimates, had described the adverse balance on the telegraph service—that very necessary service—as a loss. The question, therefore, arises—and Deputy Gorey, unfortunately, did not seek information on this point—as to when a loss is a loss, and when it becomes merely a cost.

The second lesson in the selection of phraseology occurred when Mr. Gorey had been induced by one of Mr. Corry's more provocative statements to exclaim vehemently, "That's a lie!"—thereby outraging one of the most important canons of parliamentary etiquette.

In response to the Deputy-Speaker's request, Mr. Gorey readily agreed to withdraw his expression, and then proceeded to substitute the phrase, "It is untrue." That, however, would not do, and so Mr. Gorey was compelled to retreat another step and content himself with "The statement is inaccurate," upon which Mr. Corry was adjudged to have been cleared of all aspersions, and the interlude came to a harmonious conclusion.

ECONOMY IN WORDS.

Senator Connolly's speech, in concluding the discussion on his Post Office estimates, was, like his opening speech on the previous night, a business-like contribution, economical in words, but adequate in scope, yet remarkably barren in interest. Except for an expression of sympathy with Mr. Nortons' plea for the abolition of Christmas Day work, which seems likely to bear fruit next December, and the promise of a possible reduction in telegram porterage charges the Minister's reply resolved itself into one big "No."

There is no chance, we learned, of any reduction in the charges for letters or telegrams or telephones, nor was he in agreement with the suggestions that inconvenience was caused by understaffing. On the contrary, it seems, one of the problems with which the Department is faced is that of redundancy, especially as many of redundant officials are established.

Having passed the Post Office estimate, the Dail proceeded to pass those for broadcasting. The only moral of the Minister's speech in introducing these was that—as might have been assumed—there had been an increase in the number of licences during the year.

NEEDS OF THE UNEMPLOYED.

It must be a long time since an unemployment debate in the Dail passed off so quietly as the resumed discussion of the motion by two Independent deputies, Messrs. Anthony and Morrissey, calling upon the Government forthwith to meet the immediate needs of the unemployed. It would be difficult, of course, to assail a Government which has been in office only a few weeks for its omissions in regard to this matter (although Mr. J. J. Byrne did declare that the unemployment figures had steadily increased since the change of Ministers). Deputies were reduced, therefore, to the simple description of those examples—unfortunately only too common—which show what the position at the moment is, and the Executive Council, for their part, accepted the motion.

BUTTER BOTHER.

It was on the introduction of Dr. Ryan's bill for the butter bounty—the final formality of the sitting—that the first clash between the opposing front benches occurred. The Minister had intended to have the second reading taken next Friday, but this was not satisfactory to Mr. Cosgrave, who proposed that, in view of the extraordinary complexity of the bill, that stage should be left until the following Wednesday. His opinion of the bill was that no more complicated measure had ever been before the House. "I do not believe," he added, as a final shot "that a single member of the Executive Council, other than the Minister himself, understands it—not one!"

Wednesday happens to be the day of Mr. MacEntee's Budget, and Dr. Ryan demurred to the addition of this item, but he finally consented, and so deputies are faced with the exciting prospect on that day of having the Budget statement and also what the ex-President regards as the most complicated measure they have ever had to tackle.

BUTTER BOUNTY PROPOSALS.

FARMERS DECIDE TO PROTEST.

The Irish Butter Association, at a meeting in Cork yesterday, decided to send a telegram to Mr. de Valera, Dr. Ryan, Mr. Norton, Mr. Cosgrave and Mr. Anthony, that the dairy produce (price regulations) proposals are unworkable, and are of no advantage to farmers making home-made dairy butter.

BREAKDOWN AT SEA.

BELGIAN SHIP'S TROUBLES.

TOWED 250 MILES TO CORK HARBOUR.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

QUEENSTOWN, Friday.

THE Dutch tug Roodezee, with the disabled Belgian steamer Scheldelyn in tow, arrived in Cork Harbour at two o'clock this afternoon, following towage from a point 250 miles south-east of Queenstown.

The Scheldelyn sailed from Savannah, United States, bound for Bremen, Germany, with a valuable general cargo, consisting of tobacco, cotton, resin and turpentine, and from the outset experienced boiler trouble, which became worse as the vessel progressed towards Europe.

CHOKED TUBES.

The vessel's rate of progress was greatly reduced, and numerous breakdown stoppages occurred, her speed being reduced to about seven knots when some 700 miles from Queenstown.

To add to the difficulties of the engineers, who became exhausted in their efforts to remedy the defect, the ship developed a heavy list to starboard, and the weather became threatening.

Owing to salt water having to be used in the boilers, the tubes and pumps became choked, and finally, on the 18th inst., the engines were stopped, and shortly after midnight Captain Labeye decided to avail himself of the assistance of the Roodezee, which had been standing by the disabled steamer, having sailed from Queenstown on Saturday morning.

At first it was decided to proceed to Falmouth, but owing to a heavy list and the threatening weather it was finally agreed to make for Queenstown.

REPAIRING THE DAMAGE.

It is understood that the steamer will be detained at this port for several days, during which time the clearance of the tubes and pumps will be effected.

The Scheldelyn, 6,430 tons gross, was launched thirteen years ago from the Middlesbrough yard of Messrs. Furness. She is registered in Ghent.

THE DUNVILLE BONUS.

BUSINESS CIRCLES INTERESTED.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Friday.

The announcement that Messrs. Dunville and Co., Ltd., the well-known Belfast distilling firm, have decided to distribute to shareholders £250,000 of surplus funds invested outside the business, has created considerable interest in business circles in the North of Ireland.

Mr. H. H. Chettle, managing director of the firm, to-day stated that he had nothing to add to the circular issued to the shareholders, which indicated briefly that the scheme would provide, that for each £10 share held at present shareholders will receive £5 in cash and shares to the nominal value of £5.

NO INTERIM DIVIDEND.

The company issued a circular last Monday, stating that it was not considered advisable to pay an interim dividend owing to the continued depression in trade. This is the first occasion for nine years on which no interim had been announced, and it was regarded as a prelude to a bonus distribution, although the shares declined slightly on the Belfast Exchange. They are now 7½ bid, with 10 asked. A meeting of the shareholders is to be held at an early date to consider the companys proposals.

The share capital of the company is £500,000—fifty thousand shares of £10 each. The concern was founded in 1808 by Mr. John Dunville and Mr. William Napier, whose son, Joseph, eventually became Lord Chancellor of Ireland. In 1863 Mr. William Dunville, who had succeeded his father, Mr. John Dunville, brought into partnership his nephew, Mr. Robert Grimshaw Dunville, D.L.; Mr. James Bruce, D.L.; and Mr. James Craig, all since deceased. The latter was father of the present chairman of the company, Captain the Right Hon. Charles C. Craig, D.L., who is a brother of Viscount Craigavon, Prime Minister of Northern Ireland.

The other directors at present are:—Messrs. J. C. Brownrigg, A. F. Craig, H. H. Chettle, W. M. Fergusson, and John Heasley, with Messrs. H. H. Chettle, W. M. Fergusson, and John Heasley Managing Directors.

The firm has extensive distillery premises in Belfast, and branch offices in London, Manchester and Glasgow, with agencies and branches throughout the world. It also controls the Bladnock Distillery, Scotland (Messrs. T. and A. McClelland, Ltd.), where the firm's Scotch whiskey is produced.

CATTLE MARKET AT NORTH WALL.

MOTION IN SENATE NEXT WEEK.

BY OUR POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT.

The Free State Senate will meet next Wednesday, when the business will include the Bacon Tariff Bill, which will, probably, be put through all its stages. The Senate will appoint its representatives on the Restaurant, Literary, and Private Bill Committees.

Senator Counihan will move that, in the opinion of the Senate, the Executive Council should give immediate effect to the recommendations of the Ports and Harbours Tribunal in favour of the erection of a covered cattle market, with lairages, at the North Wall, Dublin.

EDITOR DROWNED.

PUNT ACCIDENT ON LAKE WINDERMERE.

Mr. E. T. Scott, editor of the *Manchester Guardian*, was drowned in Lake Windermere yesterday afternoon. He was son of the late Mr. C. P. Scott.

In company with his son, Richard, he put out in a dinghy to board a yacht in the lake. The dinghy capsized. The boy clung to its keel; and Mr. Scott, who was a strong swimmer, swam for the shore. After swimming about fifty yards he disappeared.

Mr. Scott succeeded his father Mr. C. P. Scott, as editor of the *Manchester Guardian* in 1929. He had been on the staff of the paper since 1912, and was chief leader writer for several years.

Mr. Scott, whose father died in January this year, was 48 years years of age. He was educated at Rugby and Oxford, and in 1907 was appointed Private Secretary and A.D.C. to Sir Sidney Olivier, Governor of Jamaica. After leaving this position two years later he entered financial journalism, and then he joined the staff of the *Manchester Guardian*.

During the war he served in the R.A.F.

SEVERE FIGHTING IN MANCHURIA.

RAILWAY LINE SEIZED.

INSURGENTS CLASH WITH JAPANESE.

FRESH RUSSO-JAPANESE INCIDENT.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

TOKYO, Friday.

SEVERE fighting has again broken out in Manchuria between Japanese troops and Chinese forces opposed to the new *régime* that was set up a few weeks ago under the young Chinese ex-Emperor, and with Japanese patronage.

These "insurgents" have virtually seized control of the Eastern branch of the Chinese Eastern Railway, to the east of Imienpo, according to a Harbin telegram, and the main part of the Murai Brigade, despatched on a punitive expedition, have come into contact with them at Wukimiho, west of Imienpo. The Japanese troops are represented in a Harbin telegram as being in a serious predicament, a raiding party having destroyed the railway track in their rear, thus cuting their main line of retreat.

SOVIET DEMAND.

Incidentally, this seems to have led to another Russo-Japanese "incident." The Soviet authorities have demanded the release of M. Greskovsky, the station master at Imienpo, who was apprehended by the Japanese troops on the ground of what is termed "conclusive evidence" that he was acting in collusion with the "insurgents."

THE TWELFTH.

BANK HOLIDAY IN NORTHERN IRELAND.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Friday.

The "Belfast Gazette" to-night contains a proclamation by the Governor, the Duke of Abercorn, declaring the 12th of July a bank holiday in Northern Ireland.

Negotiations on the matter are reported to be proceeding.

Such disagreeable complications arise from the fact that this important Manchurian railway is partly owned and controlled by Russia, and partly operated by Soviet nationals. Moreover, up to the developments of the last month or two, the Japanese had refrained from any military interference in Northern Manchuria, in view of the importance of Russian interests there.

EXECUTION THREAT.

The delicacy of the situation in Manchuria is apparently likely to be increased when the League commission of inquiry arrives in the next day or two on the scene; for the new Manchurian Independent Government is threatening to arrest and execute its Chinese assessor, Dr. Wellington Koo, the former Chinese Minister, and other Chinese accompanying it, if they venture outside the zone of the South Manchuria railway.

This decision has been taken, according to a telegram from Changchun, the seat of the Government, on the ground that these Chinese opponents of the present *régime* would be "infringing the sovereign rights of Manchukuo and disturbing peace and order."

FROM "THE TIMES."

(BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT.)

AUSTRALIA AND MR. LANG.

The Times to-day, in a leading article on Australia and Mr. Lang, says:—The conflict between the Lang Government in New South Wales and the rest of Australia has now been given a further extension. When the Premiers' Conference, now in session, met a few days ago, the Commonwealth Prime Minister put before his colleagues a scheme by which the Governments of the Commonwealth and the States would be enabled to raise a loan of £10,000,000 for unemployment relief works, on condition that they undertook to carry out faithfully both the programme of economies to which they pledged themselves last year and the further programme recommended by the Committee appointed to study the possibilities of financing relief. There was some expectation that Mr. Lang might seize the opportunity to withdraw from an untenable position, and that in order to secure a share of this loan money he might promise to pay his debts, and to observe his agreements with the other Governments.

The Commonwealth Government is now engaged in sequestrating the State income tax and other revenues in New South Wales to make good the defaults incurred by the State Government, and this pressure, it was thought, might have brought him to a more reasonable frame of mind. If any such expectations were seriously entertained, they were doomed to speedy disappointment. Mr. Lang refused to give the suggested undertaking, and the other States had to consider what they could do without New South Wales.

On Wednesday an agreement was reached between the Commonwealth Government and the Governments of Queensland, South Australia, Western Australia and Tasmania to use £2,600,000 of loan money for the benefit of the unemployed in those four States and in Victoria. This last State is in a very peculiar position. The Labour Premier, Mr. Hogan, who was a staunch supporter of the Premiers' plan of retrenchments and balanced Budgets, is ill and travelling in Europe. The Deputy-Premier, Mr. Tunnecliffe, whose support is doubtful, has been defeated in the State Parliament, and faces a general election in which it is generally assumed his Government is certain to be defeated. He did not take part in the discussions of the Conference. The New South Wales Government was represented, and opposed the agreement at every stage.

The final result of the proceedings is that, while the Commonwealth Government will provide itself a certain sum for unemployment relief in New South Wales, as in the rest of Australia, it will not give further help by issuing Unemployment Loan securities for that State, as it is doing for the others, so long as the New South Wales Government refuses to fulfil its debt obligations and faithfully carry out the programme of retrenchment.

The King has approved that the honour of Knighthood be conferred upon the Hon. Geoffrey (Mr. Justice) Lawrence, D.S.O., on his appointment as a Justice of the High Court of Justice.

FREE STATE DUTIES.

THE GROWING LIST.

FOUR NEW ORDERS ISSUED.

SPADES, SHOVELS, BOOTS AND CREAM.

THE Free State Executive Council, at its meeting last night, issued four Orders under the Customs Duties (Provisional Imposition) Act. The duties will be enforced from to-day.

The first Order applies to spades and shovels for manual use, other than spades and shovels with wire or wooden blades, and the component parts of these articles. The amount of the duty is 33⅓ of the value of the articles.

The imperial preferential rate which applies will be two-thirds of the full rate.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

The second Order applies to boots, shoes, slippers, goloshes, sandals, and clogs of which the upper is partly or mainly made of leather or skin.

The rate is 37½ per cent.

Another Order applies to shaped shoe soles, whether complete or in parts, and shaped uppers, partly or mainly made of leather or skin. The rate of duty on these articles will be 37½ per cent.

Where boots, shoes, slippers, and the other articles mentioned, the upper of which is neither partly nor mainly made of leather or skin, the duty to be imposed will be 22½ per cent. of the total value of the articles, with the imperial preference of two-thirds of the total value of the articles applying. The rate of 22½ per cent. applies also to shaped soles and uppers neither partly nor mainly made of skin or leather.

CHILDREN'S FOOTWEAR.

A duty of 22½ per cent. applies to footwear intended for children and infants, but in this connection it is intended, when the matter comes before the Dail in the form of a bill, as it must, to exempt from duty all forms of footwear up to size 6 intended for infants and children.

This, apparently, cannot be done within an Order such as issued last night.

There is to be no extra tariff on children's boots made solely of rubber up to size six, since these are not made in the Free State.

MILK AND CREAM.

The last Order applies to milk and cream. There will be imposed 3d. per gallon on whole milk imported in bulk, 4s. 6d. per gallon on cream imported in bulk, 60s. per cwt. on cream imported in sealed tins, and on unsweetened full cream milk. The existing duty on sweetened condensed milk will be raised to 60s. per cwt.

On these articles the imperial preference of two-thirds of the full rate will apply.

BRITISH TARIFF WALLS.

FRENCH AND GERMAN COMMENT.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

BERLIN, Friday.

Several Berlin evening papers comment on the new British Customs duties to-day.

The *Boersen-Courier* remarks that they signify an extremely heavy blow to Germany's export trade, and that consequently also her foreign currency reserves will be affected. The paper adds:—"It is a symptom of the present economic dislocation of the world that England, which was formerly the classic free trade country and the pioneer in world trade, is now doing so much towards breaking up the structure of world commerce."

In France, says Reuter's Paris correspondent, the new duties are naturally not greeted with bonfires. Britain's need to protect her industries is fully appreciated, but it is considered that the wall has been built excessively high, and it is realised that the French market will be hard hit in a number of lines; above all in the many adjuncts to female charm, which it is contended cannot be called luxury articles, because they are not, on the whole, high priced. Examples of these French goods are perfumery, ready-made dresses, lace, embroidery, feathers, jewellery, and boots and shoes. Iron and steel, and cotton and woollen goods will also be affected.

WAR DEBT POSITION.

The assertion is made that Britain has now become the most highly protectionist country in Europe, not excluding France and her quota system, and fears are expressed as to the reaction of Britain's decision on the War debt position, since it is contended that Germany has, thereby, been provided with an argument for demanding the annulment of her War debts on the ground that if she cannot export she cannot pay. The hope is, however, expressed—though there is not much conviction behind it—that this tightening of the screw has been applied to afford Britain a weapon for bargaining in tariff negotiations with other countries.

HITLER'S PRUSSIAN ONSLAUGHT.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

BERLIN, Friday.

Adolf Hitler's third onslaught against the present "system" of government, which takes place on Sunday, is doomed to failure in the opinion of political pundits. They are convinced that the elections to the Prussian Diet will not give the Nazi Party and its Nationalist allies the longed-for 50 per cent. of the electorate.

In such an event the present Socialist Premier, Herr Otto Braun, will carry on with his Coalition Government, and Hitler will have to think out some new plan to gain power in Prussia and Germany.

A bill providing for the continuance of last year's law empowering the Hungarian Government to issue emergency decrees was passed by the Hungarian Lower Chamber yesterday by 93 votes to 45, says a Reuter message from Budapest.

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UNEMPLOYMENT IN THE FREE STATE

A CALL TO THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

DUBLIN DEPUTY AND ELECTION PROMISES.

THE condition of the unemployed in the Irish Free State was debated at yesterday's short sitting of the Dail, and the hope was expressed that the Government would take the public into its confidence as to its plans for dealing with a situation which the speeches showed to be serious.

It was stated that large schemes, which would afford employment in Dublin, were being held up owing to the uncertainty that exists in business circles; and the Lord Mayor of Dublin made an appeal to deputies to prevent, as far as possible, the migration of people from the country to the City of Dublin, where the number of the unemployed was already very large.

The Minister for Posts and Telegraphs held out no hope that there would be a reduction in the charge for telegrams, but was able to make the satisfactory announcement that last year's accounts for wireless broadcasting were expected to show a surplus of revenue over expenditure. The new, powerful broadcasting station at Athlone would be temporarily available, he said, during the holding of the Eucharistic Congress in Dublin, and it was expected that it would be in permanent use from the end of October next.

THE NEEDS OF THE UNEMPLOYED

Resuming the debate on unemployment, on the motion of

Mr. D. MORRISSEY (Ind. Labour, Tipperary), "That the Dail is of opinion that steps should be taken forthwith by the Executive Council to provide work or maintenance to meet the immediate needs of the unemployed,"

Mr. J. J. BYRNE (C. na nG., Dublin, N.) said that the House was waiting for the plans to relieve the immediate needs of the unemployed and deal with the whole situation. It was time that the unemployed got some instalment of the promises made before the election. Since the Government came into power unemployment had considerably increased. In the building trade work that had been contracted for was suspended. One large firm that was contemplating a large building extension had held up the scheme. The feeling of insecurity was such, that even in commercial circles, employment had been adversely affected. Large firms were keeping their staffs at a minimum, and carefully reserving the capital they had in hands.

Poor relief to the extent of £250,000 a year was being provided in the City of Dublin, and that was inadequate to meet the needs of the situation. In one day at the courts 160 ejectment cases were listed for hearing, and last week in the City of Dublin 8,014 families had received poor relief, or 900 more than in the corresponding period of last year. This involved an expenditure of £4,375. Acceptance of that motion involved lifting from the shoulders of the Dublin ratepayers a burden which they could ill afford to bear, and removing it to the shoulders of the State.

Despite the cast-iron tariff system that was to remedy present conditions, they had the fact that two of the city's most important firms had suspended extension work, and others were in an anxious frame of mind. The imposition of tariffs was mainly directed against their best and almost their only customer. He thought that this policy should be left over, at least until they saw what would be forthcoming from Ottawa. Was the President's policy still one of non-co-operation with England? The glorious policy of insular isolation could carry nothing in its train but disaster for the industry and the people of the country. It seemed that they were going to have tariffs imposed regardless of national gains or loss. The Opposition Party would not stand for the protection of industrial inefficiency.

"UNPARLIAMENTARY."

Mr. CORRY (F.F., Cork E.) said that the 80,000 unemployed in the Free State were created by Deputy Byrne's party during the past ten years. Deputy Byrne had talked about what would happen if Messrs. Guinness left the country, but the day when the organised society of Freemasons could frighten the Executive Council by displaying the maimed fist had gone for ever in this country.

Mr. Corry was quoting some figures relating to imports of barley, when Mr. Gorey (C. na nG., Carlow-Kilkenny) said: "That is a b—— lie."

The DEPUTY-SPEAKER—A deputy in this House has made a statement that what another deputy has said is a lie, and used an adjective which I will not repeat. That statement must be withdrawn.

Mr. GOREY—Very well, I will withdraw; but it is untrue.

DEPUTY - SPEAKER—That statement cannot be allowed either, and must be withdrawn.

Mr. GOREY—Very well; but how can I describe it?—it is inaccurate.

Professor O'SULLIVAN (C. na nG., Kerry)—It is grossly inaccurate.

Mr. CORRY, concluding, said that the Executive Council would not be deterred by one or two firms from doing their duty.

Mr. P. J. CURRAN (Ind., Co. Dublin) appealed to the Executive Council to make every effort to get work for the unemployed immediately.

THE GOVERNMENT'S PLAN.

Mr. H. M. DOCKRELL (C. na nG., Co. Dublin) said that he understood that the Government had a scheme, and were working on it, which would put an end to unemployment. He hoped that they would not abandon the method of giving employment on reproductive schemes.

Every vestige of economic connection with the North of Ireland had been severed by the recent regulations that had come into force on the northern boundary. He did not know whether the Government had made any representations as to whether these conditions could be alleviated, but even if they failed they should make an attempt. There was no reason why they should not negotiate with their neighbours.

THE TRADES IN DUBLIN.

Mr. A. BYRNE (Lord Mayor of Dublin, C. na nG.) said that the whole building trade of the City of Dublin was at a standstill, and the provision of road-making schemes would not give redress to painters, plasterers, or carpenters. They had members of the engineering, shipbuilding, and boiler-making trades out of employment for years, and he thought that the Minister would provide relief for these men. Then there was another class—namely, clerks and storekeepers—who could not do road-making work. Schemes must be provided for these. They had in Dublin 8,000 families living on food tickets given by the Board of Assistance, with no allowance for rent. For the past few weeks tenants of rooms and cottages had crowded into the police courts appealing for delay in evictions.

They had coming into Dublin motor 'buses and motor cars, and not one shilling's worth of the upholstering, painting, or coachbuilding on these had been spent in Dublin. The Minister would have to do something for their coachbuilders. He appealed to every member in the House to use his influence to prevent people leaving the country areas to come to Dublin. In Dublin they were at their wits' ends to know how to stave off evictions. The Ministry would have to do something to provide immediate employment, and not wait for road-making or housing schemes three or six months' hence.

New silos, worked by electricity, would be completed in a week or two on the quays in Dublin for the discharge of grain from ships, and two hundred and fifty men who had hitherto done that work by hand would be thrown out of employment.

Mr. D. MacMENAMIN (Independent, Donegal) said that the avenues provided for their young people in outside countries were now closed. He urged the Government to start an intensive policy of reafforestation, which would be reproductive work, and would do much to add to the attractions of such counties as Donegal for tourists. He urged that, if necessary, legislative power should be acquired to secure tracts of barren land, such as existed in his constituency, and give employment in schemes of afforestation on them.

Mr. VAUGHAN (C[illegible]er, Cork N.) said that conditions in his area were worse than they had been for the past seven or eight years. He hoped that the President and the members of the Executive Council would, for the sake of the county and the people, accept the motion.

WHY A SCHEME WAS HELD UP.

Mr. GOREY (C. na G., Carlow-Kilkenny) said that Fianna Fail claimed during the election that they had a plan for curing unemployment. If so, there should be no delay in putting it into operation. The official Labour Party in the House, he said, mainly represented railwaymen, school teachers, postal workers, etc.; but he would like to draw their attention to a position which had arisen in Kilkenny. The Corporation there had limited borrowing powers, but were anxious to give employment on a housing scheme if wages were such as they could afford. The Corporation offered 42s 10s. a week for joiners and plasterers, and 36s. a week to unskilled labourers, but those wages were not accepted, and the housing scheme could not proceed.

In his view, the official attitude of Labour in the matter of wages was the greatest obstacle to the cure of unemployment, and he thought that much of the present evil was due to the pigheadedness of the Labour leaders.

Mr. MURPHY (Labour, Cork) said that opportunities for employment could be afforded by the proper operation of the Forestry Department, which up to now had been a dead letter. It could do much in the initiation of useful schemes. He denied that their economic ills were due to high wages and the general attitude of organised labour. It was not high wages that held up housing schemes, but questions of the profits that would be made out of them by the contractors.

Progress was reported.

THE POST OFFICE.

TELEGRAPHS A DYING SERVICE.

Replying to the debate on the vote for Posts and Telegraphs, Senator CONNOLLY, Minister for Posts and Telegraphs, said that a number of Deputies on the previous afternoon raised the question of the reduction of the cost of telegrams from 1s. 6d. to 1s. The reduction would mean a loss if applied in the Saorstat, Great Britain and Northern Ireland of £41,130. They were already losing £100,000 on the telegraph service, and in all the circumstances the Department did not feel that the reduction was possible.

The question of reduction in the cost of the delivery of telegrams, he said, had been raised by Deputies. The actual cost of delivery under this heading was £23,000. He had a discussion with the officials responsible to see if there could be a reduction in the porterage charges. The matter was at present under consideration, and he thought that there was a possibility that they could reduce the mileage charge from 6d. to 3d., but he was not committing himself to anything at the moment.

Replying to Mr. Gorey (C. na nG., Carlow-Kilkenny), the MINISTER said that the actual amount collected in porterage charges was £11,700.

Deputy Dillon, the MINISTER continued, had raised the question of reduction of staffs, and he seemed to think that the staffs were being reduced unnecessarily, and that this was affecting the services throughout the State.

"I am afraid," said Senator CONNOLLY, "from my limited experience, that the reverse is the case, and that we have many redundant officials that we are finding it difficult to place, and still have the responsibility of carrying them, as many of them are established officers. It is difficult to assimilate them in the work, and it is also going to be costly to dispose of them. We have also very considerable difficulty departmentally in handling the problem of the unestablished officers. One of the tragedies of the Service is that the selection often depends upon the Minister; and I, personally, would prefer that that would be obviated and that the responsibility of making the selections fell into the ordinary Civil Service channel."

TELEPHONES DOING WELL.

There had been an undoubted increase in trunk calls, particularly to cross-Channel centres, but the only solution for the congestion appeared to be the laying down of an additional cable, which would involve great expense, which could not be contemplated now.

Referring to the suggestion by Mr. Good that telephone charges should be reduced, the Minister said that it would require considerable development of the telephone service before that could be contemplated. The people were not yet telephonically minded, but there had been considerable growth in the use of the telephone, and, if that growth continued, they might be able to reduce the charges.

His personal leaning, he said, was towards abolishing Christmas Day work in post offices, but that did not mean that he would decide to abolish it without having the full facts placed before him.

CONDITIONS IN THE SERVICE.

Replying to questions about conditions in the Post Office service, the Minister said that they did not want any slave-driving in the Civil Service. They wanted decent and reasonable conditions.

In reply to Mr. R. Mulcahy, he said that he was unable to give particulars as to redundancy in the service, but would supply the information later.

Mr. J. DILLON (Ind., Donegal) suggested that some of the redundant Post Office clerks should be employed in the General Post Office, Dublin.

The MINISTER, concluding, said that it was for the House itself to decide whether the minimum charge for telegrams should be 1s. 6d. or 1s., or even less. The reduction to one shilling would result in a loss of £41,000 in a department of the service on which there was an increasing yearly loss. The fact was that the telegraph service, not alone in this country, but throughout the world, was a decaying service.

The vote was passed without a division.

BROADCASTING.

AN EXPECTED SURPLUS.

Senator CONNOLLY, Minister for Posts and Telegraphs, submitting an estimate for £60,310 in respect of wireless broadcasting, said that last year's accounts had yet to be checked, but it was expected they would show a surplus of revenue over expenditure. The total revenue of £59,229 included £14,750 from wireless licences, and £45,129 from Customs tax on apparatus. On the expenditure side the principal item was £40,574 for the broadcasting service, with £4,312 for the cost of collecting the Customs tax. The total expenditure out of last year's vote was £51,336, which showed a gross surplus of £7,893. From that, establishment and other charges, totalling £4,278, had to be deducted, leaving a net surplus of £3,615. For the coming year it was estimated that £60,310 would be sufficient to cover the needs of the broadcasting service. The total expenditure in the department was, however, estimated at £88,620, the difference being made up by other departmental votes. The estimated revenue from wireless licences during the coming year was £16,000, from advertisements £5,000, and from Customs tax on wireless apparatus £60,000, making a total revenue of £81,000, and giving an estimated deficit of £7,620.

The number of licences issued during the year 1931-32 was 28,683, the number of valve sets being 24,968, and crystal sets 3,715. In addition, there were 187 licences at £1 each and 70 at £5 each. The increase in the total number of licences was 2,700. The revenue from advertisements in sponsored programmes was estimated at £1,500, but in the event of those programmes being continued from the high-power station a much higher revenue should be realised. The matter was now being closely investigated with a view to the proper valuation of such services from the station, the length of time made available for sponsored programmes, and the standard of quality of same.

THE ATHLONE STATION.

Arrangements had been made to hasten the high-power station at Athlone, in the hope that they might have the station temporarily available for the broadcasting of the Eucharistic Congress ceremonies. That entailed an extra cost of £1,700, but it was generally felt desirable that on such an important occasion they should, if possible, broadcast from their own station. Assuming that no hitch occurred, the contractors expect to have all in readiness for that week for temporary service only.

Professor THRIFT (Ind., T.C.D.) asked the Minister if he could say why it was that only one person in every hundred in the Free State had a wireless licence as compared with eight or ten in every hundred in other countries.

The Minister said that when the new high-power station in Athlone was operating their programmes would be heard in other countries. It would then be very important to see that these programmes were representative of the national outlook and culture. They could not afford to have poor or discreditable programmes, and if necessary they would have to lose money in the first year in order to raise the general standard of their broadcast. They expected to have the high-power station working permanently from the

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PETTY'S PROPHETIC WORK.

POLITICAL ANATOMY OF IRELAND.

In the second of his interesting lectures on Sir William Petty's work, Dr. Y. M. Goblet dealt, at the University College, Dublin, yesterday, with Petty's book, "The Political Anatomy of Ireland." Dr. D. Coffey presided.

This book, said the Lecturer, was quite different from Petty's essays in "Political Arithmetick," which were generally considered as having a place among the oldest treatises of economics in the English language. The "Political Anatomy" was almost always left aside, because obviously it was not a book of economics, but a first attempt at a new science, which developed much later, in the nineteenth century, and which was "Human Geography," or Anthropo geography. Therefore, Ireland was the first country that was studied from that standpoint.

A second essay in political anatomy is to be found in the first chapters of the "Political Arithmetick," and Petty again proved himself the geographer, at the end of his life, in the treatise of Ireland. The "Political Anatomy" was written by Petty at a time when he had great material interests in Ireland and was the mouthpiece of English colonists. That was why the "Political Anatomy" was intended for a book for the defence of these colonists. Petty had also contemplated writing a geography of Ireland, but he only wrote a kind of introduction to such a book, the "Political Anatomy," whose spirit was distinctly geographical. The chapters, if put together according to their subjects, might be classified in six groups. First, a short description of the land, the climate and the natural products; second, demography; third, agriculture; fourth, government and religion; fifth, trade and currency; and sixth, language, customs, etc.

In his studies of Ireland, Petty had shown the influence of its geographical position in the West of Europe. He had also realised the importance of Ireland's geographical position with regard to its relations with Great Britain, and it seemed to them when reading the book that they heard at the same time an echo of the Fifteenth Century "Libelle of Englyshe Polycye," and a forerunner of the correspondence between Ireland and England in the summer of 1921.

HISTORICAL DRAMA.

Another geographical basis of Petty's study of Ireland was physical geography and climate. It was interesting to note that he had a clear idea of organisation for meteorological observations by a number of meteorological stations scattered throughout the country. The "Political Anatomy" included an essay on Irishfolk, though Petty knew nothing of the great Gaelic civilisation of the past, but he realised that Irishmen were the victims of historical drama which had ruined their country. "I see nothing in them inferior to other people," he wrote; and he made an appalling description of the destitution of three-fourths of the population living "in cabins without fixed hearths," so that the economic value of the humane element was much lower than it otherwise should have been.

The economic condition of the country, and especially of agriculture, was cleverly treated, though often by curious reckoning, which sometimes was mere guesswork. However, Petty was one of the founders of modern statistics.

The views on the relations between Ireland and England are founded on the idea of an economic union, then of a political union of the kingdoms; and he sincerely considered it a benefit for Ireland to be thoroughly Anglicised.

As soon as 1662, then on the "Political Anatomy," he suggested "transmutation" of the Irish people by settling one-quarter of them in England and replacing them in Ireland by an equal number of Englishmen. Later, he made a plan for the removal of the whole population of Ireland and of the Scottish Highlands to England, and the Irish isle would have been put on sale, considering that its possession was rather a cause of political weakness for its possessor. At the end of his life, in the "Treatise of Ireland," he gave the Irish Utopia a definite form. One million of Irish folk would have settled in England; the remaining 300,000, as he calculated, would have been kept in Ireland—Ireland being turned into a huge ranch for cattle and sheep—to act as cowherds, cowmaids and shepherds.

Petty called these "Utopia's dreams," but, in fact, they now seem to have been prophetic, as they contained the seed of the Unionist policy and the terrible depopulation of the nineteenth century, when grazing gradually took the place of tillage. The final aim was the destruction, not of Irish people, but of the Irish nationality. From the political standpoint Petty's theories are tantamount to the treatment of the peoples, in England as in Ireland, as a kind of human material at the disposal of the State, more or less like cattle in a farmer's hands. In that way they could say that he was a precursor of State Socialism.

DUBLIN OPERATIC SOCIETY.

The date of the Dublin Operatic Society's performances at the Gaiety Theatre, Dublin, has been changed to the week commencing on Monday, May 23rd. The Society will present Bizet's "Carmen" on Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday evenings, and Donizetti's delightful opera "L'Elisir d'Amore" on Tuesday and Thursday evenings and at the matinée on Saturday. Many of the artists who were so successful in the Society's former productions will again appear in principal parts, and the Society will also have the assistance of several new members. The orchestra will again be augmented by several well-known Dublin instrumentalists.

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end of October. The Advisory Board had been meeting regularly, and such differences as arose among them were mainly on the question of the size of the orchestra. It was felt that the orchestra was at present insufficient, and there should be at least twelve or fourteen members for a proper symphony orchestra. Another point which would have to be carefully considered when the high-power station opened was the sponsored programmes. The Government would have to exercise a very strict censorship over these programmes.

He could not explain why only one per cent. of the population was interested in wireless, except that in addition to economic reasons they were an agricultural community, and for that reason possibly slower to acquire the wireless mentality.

The vote was passed.

LANDS AND FISHERIES.

Mr. RUTTLEDGE, Minister for Lands and Fisheries, moved for £392,102 to complete the sum necessary to defray the salaries and expenses of the office of Lands and Fisheries. He explained that the estimate was originally £568,102. That would show a net increase of £9,201 over the estimate for last year—that was, if they took it without reference to the supplementary estimate of £118,708 passed last month. That supplementary estimate arose entirely out of the operations of the Land Act of 1931. Of that sum £79,495 was non-recurring. It was made up of sums advanced by the State to the purchasers in respect of the two months from the gale day to the final day after the appointed day. It was a temporary advance to be repaid in six equal instalments.

In this estimate £3,940 arose out of the operations of the 1931 Act. They had also to take £31,790 in respect of the payment of additional sums which came in under another heading, leaving the estimate £615,952, as against £618,116 last year, a decrease of £2,164. The sub-head, which dealt with travelling expenses, showed a decrease of £7,000, which was due to the headquartering of inspectors in the areas in which they are employed.

Progress was reported.

DAIRY PRODUCE BILL.

The first reading was given to the Dairy Produce (Price Stabilisation) Bill, 1932, which provides for the payment of a bounty on exported butter and for the imposition of a levy on certain classes of butter retained for home consumption.

The second reading was fixed for Wednesday, May 4th.

The Dail adjourned until 3 p.m. on Wednesday next.

PROVINCIAL BANK CLERKSHIPS.

At the last examination 10 appointments were gained by pupils of ROSSE COLLEGE, 55 Stephen's Green, Dublin.—(Advt.)

THE GENEVA DEADLOCK.

FAR EASTERN PROBLEM.

TRYING TO AVOID A STALEMATE.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

GENEVA, Friday.

CHINA declines to continue the armistice negotiations at Shanghai until Geneva has made up its mind about the conditions that are to govern the negotiations. Japan insists that the proper place for negotiations is Shanghai, and not Geneva. China refuses to contemplate any watering down of the vital clause in the League's draft resolution—Japan says the clause is "absolutely unacceptable" as it stands.

These are the immediate obstacles of the Far-Eastern crisis, which, after three days, still defies the ingenuity of the Powers. The most optimistic of observers do not expect the committee of nineteen to be in a position to record progress before next Tuesday.

The advocates of "solution by agreement" are devoting all their skill to avoid being faced with a stalemate. It is significant of America's interest that to-day's meeting between Mr. Stimson and M. Hymans (chairman of the committee) lasted a full hour, and was devoted entirely to the Far East. What passed between them is not known. American circles state that Mr. Stimson asked a question or two and "listened," but it would be surprising if at the end of the hour M. Hymans was no wiser than he had been before as to what line of policy would be most likely to secure America's blessing and, perhaps, support.

DISARMAMENT.

There is much satisfaction in all circles at the happy outcome of this morning's disarmament discussion, which is regarded as a happy augury for future discussions, although the methods to be applied in establishing the definition of "offensive arms" may give rise to considerable controversy.

The resolution formulated by the Bureau of the Conference on the basis of Sir John Simon's resolution is to the effect that the Land, Sea and Air Committees would decide what arms were the most specifically offensive, the most efficacious against national defence, and the most threatening to the civilian population.

Mr. Macdonald's programme of conversations to-day was severely censured by Sir Thomas Horder, who accompanied the Premier on his three-hour drive this afternoon.

Mr. Stimson has had a recurrence of his laryngitis, and has gone to the mountains for the week-end. He had been invited to a dinner to-night and a luncheon to-morrow, at both of which M. Litvinoff is to be a guest.

M. Tardieu left to-night to do a little electioneering at Belfort. A similar mission takes Herr Bruening to Sigmaringen to-morrow to vote in the Prussian Diet election. Lord Hailsham, Secretary of State for War, arrived in Paris this evening, on his way to Geneva.

DUBLIN CIRCUIT COURT.

ACTION AGAINST HALL PORTER.

LABOURER'S CLAIM UPHELD.

(BEFORE JUDGE DAVITT.)

James Kelly, labourer, 15 Harman street, S.C. road, Dublin, sued James W. Lowth, 51 Merrion square, to recover £300 damages for the alleged seduction of his daughter, Mary Bridget Kelly. The defendant is a head porter at the R.D.S. premises, Ballsbridge, and the girl, now aged 23 years, was employed there as a cleaner.

Mr. Martin Maguire, K.C., and Mr. P. J. Roe (instructed by Mr. Vincent Kennedy) were for the plaintiff, and Mr. William Carson, K.C., and Mr. James P. Murnane (instructed by Messrs. Gerald Byrne and Co.) for the defendant.

During the hearing evidence of the making of the Bernstein blood tests and of the results of the analysis was given by Dr. John McGrath, State pathologist, and Mr. P. E. Hayden for the plaintiff, and by Sir William Taylor, Dr. Dockery, T.C.D., and Dr. William Pearson for the defendant.

The Judge, giving a decree for £75, said that at one time he had hopes that the distinguished medical evidence put before him gave a prospect of having the issue put clear and definite. He was sorry to say that the result of the analysis left him in the position in which he would be without that evidence. It was absolutely inconclusive, and might be left out of the case as far as assisting him in the slightest way was concerned.

When judgment was given a woman at the back of the Court shouted: "My husband is innocent."

Mr. Carson asked for a stay of execution, with a view to an appeal.

The Judge said there was the usual question of security for costs, and in any case Mr. Carson had ten days to consider his position.

SPLIT IN GOVERNMENT OF VICTORIA.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The threatened split in the Victorian Government, following the opposition of Mr. Tunnecliffe, the acting Premier, to the wage cuts suggested by the Premiers' conference as part of their scheme for the relief of unemployment, materialised to-day, when the acting Treasurer, Mr. Jones, and Mr. E. L. Kiernan, Honorary Minister, resigned, after a speech by Mr. Tunnecliffe outlining the Ministry's policy in this matter.

AUCTION SALES.

MESSRS. BATTERSBY AND CO.

To-day in our auction columns Messrs. Battersby and Co. have a long and varied list of forthcoming sales. On Friday at "Elmo," Sorrento road, Dalkey, will be held at sale of antique furniture and effects. Messrs. Battersby and Co., having sold the estate of the Brudenell-Murphy family, at "Mount Merrion," Stillorgan road, they will now sell, commencing on Tuesday, 3rd May, the antique furniture, piano, billiard table, Sheffield plate, outdoor effects and cattle on the mansion house. Their property sale on the 5th May will include "Onagh," Enniskerry, a grazing and tillage farm of 160 acres, and 203 North Circular road. For their property sale on the 19th May they will offer 138 St. Lawrence road, Clontarf, and an investor's lot, 15 and 16 Leicster road, Rathmines. Full details are set out in our advertising columns.

MESSRS. JAMES S. McMAHON AND CO.

Messrs. James S. McMahon and Co., auctioneers, of 152 St. Stephen's Green, announce in our advertising columns to-day particulars of property for sale by public auction on Tuesday next. They will offer on the premises at 12 o'clock the residence known as Stone House, Stillorgan road, Donnybrook. It is held under lease for sixty years. On Friday, 6th May, they will offer in their sale-rooms, 152 Stephen's Green, the residence known as 19 Leinster square, Rathmines. On the same day they will offer No. 44 Mountjoy street, a two-storeyed residence, known as the Midland Hotel. At their auction sale yesterday satisfactory prices were realised, and Wilton House was sold for a little under £2,000.

MR. ALBERT MacARTHUR.

On Tuesday, 17th May, Albert MacArthur, "The Housefinder," will sell by auction at "MacArthur House," D'Olier street, 36 St. Lawrence road, Clontarf; the house 6 Castlown terrace, Susanville road, Drumcondra; "Sunnydale," 1 Tudor road, Cowper Gardens Rathgar; the vacant shop and dwellinghouse 3 Westland row (late "Inglis" Restaurant); also shop and house, "The Malahide Stores," Malahide road; together with 2 Marino Crescent, and the shop and house, 93 Harcourt street, established as confectionery and tobacconist concerns—all with vacant possession. Full particulars appear in our advertising columns to-day.

A DUBLIN HOTEL.

On Tuesday, 3rd May, Mr. W. J. Heron, Peace Commissioner, will offer for auction the non-licensed hotel known as the "Fitzwilliam Hotel," 12 Upper Fitzwilliam street. The auction will take place in the saleroomes, 168 Pearse street, at 3.30.

LEOPARDSTOWN RACES.

PUNCHESTOWN WEEK MEETING.

Racing at Leopardstown yesterday afternoon proved very pleasant. The weather was delightful, with sunshine throughout the afternoon, and many visitors had remained in Dublin after Punchestown for the event. The Governor-General and Mrs. McNeill, attended by Captain D. O'Sullivan, A.D.C., and Captain P. Wall, A.D.C., were present with a party. They were received on arrival by the Stewards, Sir Walter Nugent and the Right Hon. T. K. Laidlaw, and Mr. Harold Clarke.

Mrs. McNeill was wearing a rose-red flecked tweed two-piece, with a scarf collar and a hat in the same shade, trimmed with a black shiny band. Lady Hemphill, who was among the party, wore a short brown fur coat over a dress of dark green romaine, with a small hat of the "bowler" type in the same shade. Mrs. John Hearne looked attractive in a frock of Spanish tile crêpe, worn under a musquash fur coat, with a white beret touched with red. Among others on the Viceregal stand was the Belgian Minister, Mons. Goor.

THE ATTENDANCE.

In the members' enclosure were:—The Earl of Altamont, Viscount Milton, Lord and Lady Talbot de Malahide, Lady de Freyne, Major and Lady Alexandra Metcalfe, Lady Honor Guinness, the Hon. Mrs. Barry, the Hon. Brinsley and Mrs. Plunket, the Duc and Duchess de Stacpoole, Sir James Nelson, the Hon. Verona Maxwell, Sir Ernest Goff, Sir Lingard Goulding, Mr. and Mrs. Villiers Stuart, Captain and Mrs. C. F. Dunne, Mrs. John Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Darrell, Mr. Villiers Morton, Colonel Clarke, Captain Boyd-Rochfort, V.C., and Mrs. Boyd-Rochfort; Mr. Isidore J. Blake, Miss O. Plunket, Mrs. D. More-O'Ferrall, Mr. R. More-O'Ferrall, Mrs. Shuldham, Mr. Ernest Bellaney, Miss M. Morrogh Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. Cowper, Miss Cowper, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Maher.

Major and Mrs. Power, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kennedy, Captain Bacon, Mr. and Mrs. Semphill, Mrs. George Mitchell, Mrs. P. Rooney, Miss Stokes, Captain and Mrs. M. King French, Major H. C. Crozier, Mr. and Mrs. M. Fitzgerald, Mr. Toome, Dr. L. Keegan, Miss Keegan, Miss Orpen, Colonel Stott, Mr. Hugh Wilson, Mr. Wall, Mr. R. Smith, Mr. N. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Sinton, Miss Sinton, Captain and Mrs. Gerald Martin, Mrs. Roantree, Mrs. Wallis, Mrs. C. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. G. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. J. Boydell, Mr. and Mrs. H. O'Reilly, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Fitzgerald, Miss Brady Brown, Mrs. J. J. Reddy, Mr. Justice O'Byrne and Mrs. O'Byrne, Major and Mrs. Wilkins, Major Kenny, Mr. and Mrs. T. Brindley, Miss Dillon, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hartigan, Mr. H. Usher, Mrs. T. G. Fleming, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Rogers and Mr. J. J. Parkinson.

OBITUARY.

MRS. MARGARET PEARSE.

We regret to announce the death, which took place suddenly at St. Enda's, Rathfarnham, last night, of Mrs. Margaret Pearse, widow of the late James Pearse and mother of the late Patrick and William Pearse, two Republican leaders who were executed after the 1916 rebellion. Mrs. Pearse, who was 75 years of age, was educated by the French Sisters of St. Vincent de Paul, and married in 1877 James Pearse, an Englishman, who for many years carried on the business of sculptor at 27 Great Brunswick (now Pearse) street, Dublin. She had four children—two boys and two girls—all of whom have been actively connected with Republican Ireland. Mrs. Pearse herself was a member of Dail Eireann in 1921, and was one of the followers of Mr. de Valera who voted against the acceptance of the Treaty. Of late years, however, she took little active part in Irish politics, but devoted herself almost entirely to the management of St. Enda's School, which was founded by her son Patrick.

MRS. MARGARET PEARSE.

She was a woman of very strong character, and Patrick Pearse said on more than one occasion that her influence was one of the most moving forces of his life.

Mrs. Pearse had been in poor health for some time, and although she became very ill on Saturday last, her death was not anticipated. A priest who happened to be in the school last night gave the last Absolution to Mrs. Pearse.

The funeral, which will be public, will start after Solemn Requiem Mass in Rathfarnham Church at 10 o'clock on Tuesday. Public bodies and others wishing to attend should communicate with Mr. Gerald Boland, T.D., or Mr. Oscar Traynor, T.D., at 13 Upper Mount street, Dublin. At Mrs. Pearse's own request no flowers should be sent, but Masses offered instead.

During the meeting of the Executive Council last night the members learned of the death of Mrs. Pearse, and, on the motion of President de Valera, an expression of deep regret at her death was passed. This message will be conveyed to the late Mrs. Pearse's daughters.

SWEDISH POLICE AND KREUGER.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

STOCKHOLM, Friday.

Police officials to-day stated that no steps had been taken by the Swedish authorities against Ivar Kreuger before his suicide in Paris last month. Questioned regarding reports from New York that the police had been asked to prevent the sailing of Kreuger from America, pending the cancellation of the contract of the International Telephone and Telegraph Corporation to purchase control of the L. M. Ericsson Telephone Company, the police stated that any action taken by the French or American authorities was unknown to the Swedish police.

It was revealed a fortnight ago that the International Telephone and Telegraph Corporation's contract for the purchase of the Ericsson Company was voided by mutual consent during Kreuger's last visit to New York.

IRISH AERO CLUB.

PROPOSED CHANGE IN RULES.

Following a request by a number of members of the Irish Aero Club, it was learned in Dublin yesterday that an extraordinary general meeting of the club has been called for Wednesday, May 11th, to consider, and, if thought fit, adopt a resolution:—"That Clause 18 of the club's articles of association be deleted, and the following clause substituted therefor—The members of the Club Council shall retire at the annual general meeting in every year, and a new Council shall be elected. Nominations must be made to the honorary secretary seven days prior to the date of the general meeting. The Council shall elect officers annually."

Hitherto, only one-third of the Council members have been required to retire each year, the members longest in office retiring automatically and being eligible for re-election. There is no mention of eligibility of retiring members under the proposed new clause in the articles.

Mr. O. Grattan Esmonde, T.D., has been Chairman of the Council during the past year, and Mr. A. P. Reynolds, honorary secretary.

As the annual general meeting of the club has not yet taken place, it is presumed that the change in the constitution of the Council will take effect for the forthcoming year.

FEMALE WRITING ASSISTANTS.
Next Exam., Oct., 1932. Oral and Postal Classes. 6 Successes, Oct., 1931. 6 Successes with FIRST PLACE, May, 1931. SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 Stephen's Green.—(Advt.)

SEQUEL TO SHOW ACCIDENT.

WOMAN KNOCKED DOWN BY COW.

DAMAGES AGAINST ROYAL DUBLIN SOCIETY

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE SULLIVAN AND A JURY).

The hearing of the action of Mrs. Henrietta Nixon, of the Private Hotel, Clones, against the Royal Dublin Society, and Messrs. Gavin Low, Ltd., Dublin, was concluded. The plaintiff claimed damages for injuries said to have been caused to her by being knocked down by a heifer at the Spring Show at Ballsbridge on the 8th of last May, she alleging negligence in the driving of the animal and in the provision for its accommodation at the show grounds.

The defendants denied negligence, and pleaded contributory negligence on the part of the plaintiff.

The jury found in favour of the plaintiff in her action against the Royal Dublin Society, and assessed damages against them in £1,750. They found in favour of Messrs. Gavin Low, Ltd.

Mr. Justice Sullivan entered judgment for the plaintiff for £1,750 and costs against the Royal Dublin Society, and judgment for Messrs. Gavin Low, Ltd., with costs against the plaintiff.

A stay of execution for fourteen days was granted.

Mr. Wood, K.C.; Mr. Finlay, K.C., and Mr. William Black (instructed by Mr. James Fagan) appeared for the plaintiff; Mr. Fitz-Gibbon, K.C.; Mr. Joseph O'Connor, K.C., and Mr. Kingsmill Moore (instructed by Mr. M. Good) appeared for the Royal Dublin Society; and Mr. Dockrell, K.C.; Mr. Lavery, K.C., and Mr. McLoughlin (instructed by Messrs. J. H. McLoughlin and Son) for Messrs. Gavin Low, Ltd.

CARNERA AND THE DERBY SWEEPSTAKE.

MAY ATTEND THE DRAW.

The public is reminded that May 9th is the closing date for the reception of contributions to the Sweepstake on the Derby, and, judging from the acceleration of business last week, it seems as though there is going to be another last-minute rush. The organisers, therefore, urge on the public the necessity for sending in their cash and counterfoils without delay.

It is anticipated that Primo Carnera, who will be giving an exhibition in boxing in Dublin early in June, will attend the draw for the Derby Sweep.

An entirely new setting has been arranged for the Derby draw, and the work has been placed in the hands of Mr. Lionel Edwards, the famous sporting artist. The design which will embrace the entire Plaza will consist of a Frieze running round the central space of the hall showing the following aspects of Epsom racecourse on Derby Day:—Preparations for weighing in, the paddock, the parade, the start, Tattenham corner and the finish.

On either side of the stage there will be painted two typical Derby scenes and the columns of the hall will bear circular placques of famous Derby winners carried out in high relief. The proscenium arch will be supported by the two front columns camouflaged as winning posts, and will carry a lucky horse shoe with the Irish harp in the centre.

The girls engaged in the mixing process will be attired in famous racing colours.

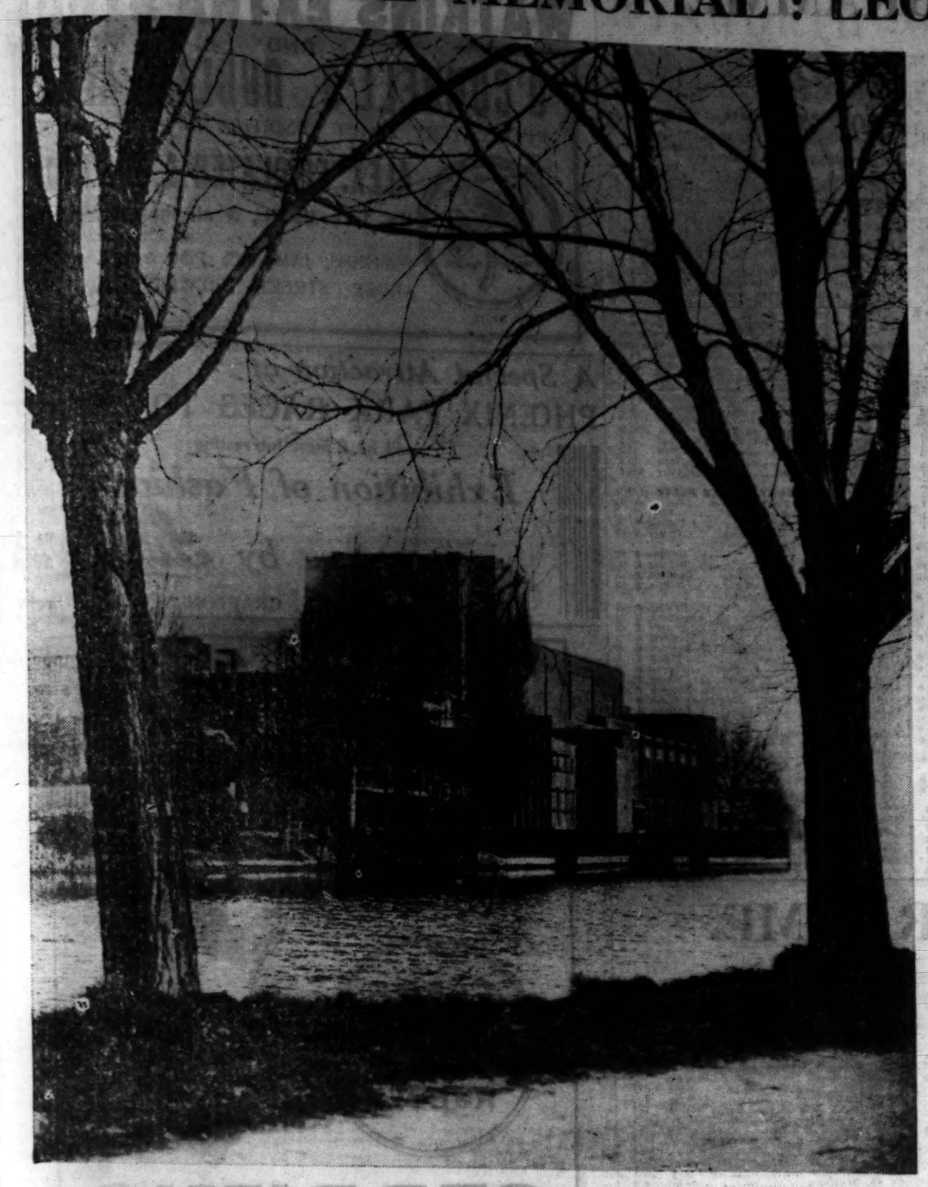
PORTESTANT ORPHAN SOCIETY.

WORK AN "ACID TEST OF TRUE RELIGION."

Presiding at the one hundred and third annual meeting of the Protestant Orphan Society, held at 35 Molesworth street, Dublin, yesterday, the Archbishop of Dublin said that what had hitherto been done by the voluntary contributions of societies, such as that was now being largely done by the State, and consequently the demands on their resources were not so great as they would otherwise be. He was interested in the reference to Canon Storey, who had done so much for the Society. There was a serious drop in the card collections, which might be attributed to the present economic trouble, and he hoped it was only temporary. With regard to orphans who went off the roll and were placed in positions outside, he thought that a memorandum of what had been done for them should be placed in their hands, so as to induce them to do something for the Society. He congratulated the Society on its report, and was glad to see that the grants to individual orphans had been increased.

The report submitted by the secretary showed that there were 208 orphans on the roll on the 31st January last, or three more than the previous year. Payments in maintenance, etc., were £483 1s. 11d. higher than in the previous year, due to an increase of grants. Offertories, amounting to £456, showed an increase of nearly £20; card collections decreased by £132 10s., and subscriptions and donations were £33 2s. better than in the previous year. The public, therefore, gave about £20 less than in 1930, though the Society was able to enrol thirty-seven orphans during the year, as against twenty-five. The year closed with a credit balance of £537 18s. 5d., which was largely used to pay increased benefits. Eighteen orphans were apprenticed or otherwise provided for, and thirteen given up to mothers and friends. From the Kinsey Fund four marriage portions of £20 each were

SHAKESPEARE MEMORIAL : LEOPARDSTOWN RACES



SHAKESPEARE MEMORIAL.—A picturesque view of the Shakespeare Memorial Theatre, Stratford-upon-Avon, which will be opened to-day, Shakespeare's birthday, by the Prince of Wales. The former theatre was destroyed by fire.

BRITISH PREMIER.—Mr. Ramsay Macdonald inspecting the guard of honour on his arrival at Le Bourget Aerodrome on Wednesday afternoon. The Premier flew to Paris en route for Geneva.

AT LEOPARDSTOWN.—The Governor-General of the Free State and the Right Hon. T. K. Laidlaw at the Leopardstown Spring Meeting yesterday.

TURTLE RIDING.—A sport that is becoming popular at Australian seaside resorts. The picture shows an unruly steed that has thrown its rider.

AWARDS FOR CIVIC GUARDS.—Lady Myles yesterday presented awards to Civic Guards, on behalf of the All-Ireland Donkey Protection Society. Picture shows the parade of Guards and (inset) Lady Myles making a presentation to 47 B, Guard McDonald.

MUTUAL PRIDE.—Mrs. P. J. Leonard (owner) with Golcaria, the winner of the Leopardstown Steeplechase at yesterday's meeting.

MEMORIAL TABLET.—Professor Joly (right) and Alderman J. Hubbard Clark at the unveiling of a memorial tablet to Dr. Stevenson, at Steevens's Hospital, Dublin, yesterday.

CONCLUDING DAYS OF

HILL'S GREAT SALE.

DININGROOM—A very large Selection of Reproduction Chippendale Diningroom Furniture, 5ft. Chippendale Sideboards, rope edge, ball and claw, £27 15s. 0d., Sale price £19 10s. 0d.; others £20 0s. 0d., £21 15s. 0d., £28 10s. 0d. 5ft. 6in., £31 15s. 0d. 6ft., £37 10s. 0d., £39 15s. 0d., £43 10s. 0d., etc. Sets of Ball and Claw Chairs to match, upholstered in best cow hide crimson Morocco leather, etc., £38 15s. 0d., £39 10s. 0d., £47 10s. 0d., £49 15s. 0d. Dining Tables, rope edge, ball and claw, to match, £10 10s. 0d., £15 10s. 0d. to £28 10s. 0d. Set of Shield-back Mahogany Chairs, £31 10s. 0d., Sale price £25 15s. 0d. Sets of Mahogany Chairs in other styles, £15 15s. 0d., £17 15s. 0d., £19 19s. 0d., etc. Mahogany Sideboards, to match, from £12 10s. 0d. Mahogany Draw-leaf Tables, £10 10s. 0d., £11 10s. 0d., etc. Mahogany Bureaux Bookcase, £15 0s. 0d., Sale price £12 10s. 0d.

BEDROOM SUITES—Very handsome Mahogany Suite, with Amboyna inset panels; 4ft. fitted Wardrobe, 2 doors, with interior mirror; 4ft. Knee-hole Toilet Table, plate-glass top, large frameless centre and two reflex mirrors, with fitted Tallboy Chest, full panelled; 4ft. 6in. Bedstead, to match, £66 10s. 0d., Sale price £46 10s. 0d. Mahogany Suite, 4ft. Wardrobe, all-hanging Cupboard with drawer under, with interior mirror; 3ft. 6in. Toilet Table; 3ft. Chest of Drawers, £33 15s. 0d., Sale price £29 10s. 0d. Jacobean Oak 4ft. Wardrobe, all-hanging, with mirror-door; 3ft. 6in. Toilet Table, with reflex mirrors; 3ft. Chest, with 3 drawers, £17 17s. 0d.; 4ft. 6in. Bedstead, to match, £3 15s. 0d. Another Suite, 4ft. Wardrobe, divided in centre, with full-length mirror inside; 3ft. 6in. Toilet Table, with reflex mirrors; 3ft. Chest, with 3 drawers, £21. 3ft. Gentlemen's Oak-fitted Wardrobes, £6 15s. 0d.

DRAWINGROOM—Mahogany Cabinet and Bureau, £22 10s. 0d., Sale price £16 10s. 0d. 5ft. Mahogany Cabinet, £33 10s. 0d., Sale price £25 10s. 0d. A high-class Chesterfield Set, upholstered in grey-ground Moquette, drop-end, £39 15s. 0d., Sale price £29 10s. 0d. A large range of Luxurious Chesterfield Sets, with loose feather cushions, upholstered in the latest fadeless fabrics: Mohair, Velvets, Velours, Damasks, Tapestries, etc., £15 15s. 0d. to £37 10s. 0d.

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CLARENCE HOTELS COMPANY.

PROCEEDINGS AT ANNUAL MEETING.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE JOHNSTON.)

In an action in which the Clarence Hotels Co., Ltd., 6 and 7 Wellington quay, Dublin, and James McMurrough, "Castilla," Vernon avenue, Clontarf, agent; Denis Tangney, Mill-street, Co. Cork, draper, and Claire M. Murphy, Queen's Hotel, Dalkey, widow, on behalf of themselves, and other shareholders of the company, are plaintiffs, and Michael D. O'Brien, 22 Castle avenue, Clontarf; Thos. J. Callanan, 6 and 7 Wellington quay, Dublin; Charles Allen, "Glenloe," Strand road, Merrion, Dublin, and Robert Harkness, 38 Belgrave square, Rathmines, directors of the Clarence Hotels Co., Ltd., are defendants,

Mr. Molony, K.C., with whom were Mr. Wood, K.C., and Mr. W. O'B. Fitzgerald (for Mr. Liston) (instructed by Mr. D. D. MacDonald and Co.) applied on behalf of the plaintiffs for an *interim* injunction pending the hearing of the action.

The plaintiffs claimed declarations that the refusal of the chairman at the annual general meeting to take a poll was illegal and improper; that the resolutions passed or rejected at the annual general meeting were improperly and unlawfully passed or rejected, and that the proceedings of the meeting were void and of no effect; that the procedure of the meeting, and the conduct thereof by the chairman and the directors, and the voting thereat was irregular and invalid and that the proceedings were also irregular and invalid and of no effect; an order that the defendants be restrained from entering or causing to be entered on the minute book of the company, or suffering to remain entered therein any entry of the resolutions alleged to have been passed at the meeting, and be restrained from doing any act or thing in pursuance of the alleged resolutions, or doing or attempting to do any act or thing to give effect to same.

They also sought an injunction restraining the defendant, Michael D. O'Brien, from acting or attempting to act as a director of the company, and restraining the defendants, other than the said Michael D. O'Brien, from treating him as a director, and restraining defendants from, as alleged, improperly using their positions and powers as directors to frustrate the wishes of the majority of the shareholders or otherwise acting unlawfully or improperly as directors; and for an order that a further meeting of the company should be held by the direction of the Court to transact in a legal fashion the business of the annual general meeting.

Mr. Molony stated that the application was for an interlocutory injunction arising out of the refusal of the chairman at the annual general meeting to take a poll. The chairman insisted that questions should be decided by a show of hands. The chairman himself was due to retire as a director, and the question of his reappointment was one of the matters before the meeting. Mr. Tangney was proposed as a director to fill the place of Mr. O'Brien, and it was very important that the shareholders holding a majority of the shares should have effect given to their wishes.

Counsel read an affidavit made by James McMorrough, one of the directors, who stated that on the death of the late chairman of the company in February, 1931, Michael D. O'Brien was elected chairman. At the date of the annual general meeting on April 21, Mr. McMorrough represented personally 1,750 shares and by proxy 14,941 shares, making, in all, 16,691 shares, or more than half the total shares of the company. At the meeting the chairman refused his repeated requests for a poll, in which request he was supported by other shareholders. For some considerable time the other directors had been seeking to control the company in defiance of the wishes of those entitled to the majority of the shares, and their refusal had been the subject of different legal proceedings. He believed that the chairman was aware that he would not be re-elected as a director of the company if a poll was taken, and that those holding the majority of the shares desired Denis Tangney to be elected in his place. In demanding a poll, he was supported and acted with the approval of Claire M. Murphy, Denis Tangney, James Gorevan and Michael F. Egan.

A notice, dated 17th February, 1932, was served upon the directors calling on them not to incur further expense in disputing or contesting the right of Mr. Denis Tangney to be registered as a shareholder, to abandon the appeal which the directors proposed to take from the decision of Mr. Justice Johnston, and to summon a general meeting of the company to consider the propriety of refusing to register transfers of shares, contrary to the wishes of the majority of the shareholders.

Mr. Justice Johnston granted an *interim* injunction, and directed that notice be served on or before next Monday for hearing on Friday next.

COMMISSION AGENT'S ACCOUNT.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE O'BYRNE.)

The adjourned case of Richard J. Duggan, commission agent, Dame street, Dublin, against Joseph Delaney, hotel proprietor, Eyre square, Galway, was listed. The plaintiff claimed £340 0s. 6d., alleged to be due to him by the defendant on foot of an agreement of the 8th October, 1930, whereby the defendant, after admitting that £740 0s. 6d. was due by him to the plaintiff, agreed to pay £400 on account and the balance within six months, on consideration of the plaintiff refraining from reporting him as a defaulter to the Conyngham Club in respect of betting debts. The defendant, it had been stated, paid £400 to the plaintiff on the 15th October, 1930, but had neglected to pay the balance.

The defendant had stated that previous proceedings were taken in respect of the present claim, and the hearing had been adjourned for the purpose of having it ascertained whether or not the proceedings were in respect of the same or of different sums.

The alleged agreement was repudiated by the defendant, who pleaded *res judicata*, and that there was no consideration for the alleged agreement.

Mr. Nolan Whelan (instructed by Mr. P. H. O'Reilly) appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. Carson, K.C., and Mr. Haugh (instructed by Mr. H. St. J. Blake) for the defendant.

Having heard counsel,

Mr. Justice O'Byrne held that there was an issue to be tried between the plaintiff and the defendant which could not be tried in the form in which the present summons was brought, and accordingly he directed that the proceedings should be continued as if they had been commenced by plenary summons.

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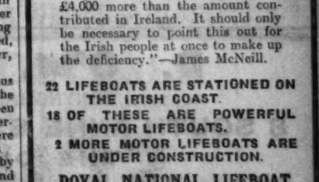

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PHŒNIX PARK TO-DAY.

KYLEAVALLA'S BIG CHANCE FOR LODER PLATE.

JUDGING by the number of declared runners for the various races at the Phœnix Park this afternoon, the racing should be very attractive. The Loder Plate for two years old will bring into opposition Kyleavalla, the easy winner of the Loughbrown Plate at the Curragh; Ballyvester, who only lost the Greer Plate by a neck to Prudent One; Dr. Strabismus, second to

Tote Double on Fourth and Sixth Races.

Ballylinch at the Curragh, as well as some others that have not run, but are reported to be useful. The race should be a highly interesting one, and, while expecting Ballyvester to make a bold bid, the form of Kyleavalla seems the more convincing. The selection is

KYLEAVALLA.

No less than twenty runners have been declared for the Beaupare Plate, a selling race for two years old, and the problem set for backers here seems a difficult one. Of those that have run Tom Tit has the best credentials. The other races also have been well supported as regards the number of likely runners. In the Balbriggan Handicap Flashing Dawn has been set a big task, but may be depended upon to show up well. She may not, however, concede the weight to some of the lightly-weighted division, such as Vici and Double Toy. Selections for other races:—

Bective Plate—**Grape Juice.**
Beaupare Plate—**Tom Tit.**
Belvedere Plate—**Lucania.**
Blanchardstown Plate—**Stella Amaris.**
Balbriggan Handicap—**Double Toy.**

TOTE DOUBLE.

Kyleavalla and Double Toy.

3.0—BECTIVE PLATE of 50 sovs. Second 5 sovs. A weight for age flat race. A winner after entry 7lb. extra. 1 m. 7f. 160 yds. Age. st. lb

BOWMINT (Mr. Bowes Daly) H. Kirwan 6 11 7
GRAPE JUICE (Lord Milton).....Ruttle 5 11 7
CAULDRON SNOUT (Mr. J. T. Rogers).....Owner 5 11 3
JERBOA (Mr. L. Ward) .....Owner 4 11 0
CLONCOWAN (Duke de Stacpoole).....Walker 4 10 7

Above are declared runners.

10 BOWMINT. Unplaced with 11-12 to Coppertop (11-8) Meath Hunt April (2m. 'chase). Carried 12-0 when winning 50l., 10l. from Johnny Black (11-0) and Cain's Hope (11-9) Downpatrick (2m. 5f. 'chase).

32 GRAPE JUICE. Carried 11-5 when beaten 2l. by Silver Simon (11-5), with Jack Hope (11-5) 4l. behind, Phœnix Park March (1¾m. 50 yds.). Carried 12-0 when beaten 1½l., neck by Castlebagot (11-12) and Grecian Vase (11-2) Baldoyle February (2m. 1f. 14 yds.).

00 CAULDRON SNOUT. Unplaced with 7-10 to Gallant Prince (9-6) Curragh April (1m.). Unplaced with 11-3 to Ramah (10-7) Naas March (2m.).

01 CLONCOWAN. Carried 10-7 when winning 20l., 10l. from Chimney Top (11-8) and Leafy Palm (10-2) Prondstown Park March (2m. 'chase). Carried 10-4 when fourth of 9 to Castlehagot (11-5) Baldoyle March (2m. 1f. 14 yds.). Jerboa (10-4) was behind.

01 JERBOA. See Cloncowan. Carried 10-9 when winning 4l., 3l. from Selangor (11-0) and Irish Light (11-5) Naas April (1¼m.).

3.30—BEAUPARE PLATE of 50 sovs. Second 5 sovs. For two years old. The winner to be sold for 80 sovs. 5 f. st. lb.

SORBONNE (Mr. G. M. King).....Owner 8 12
IRISH STAR (Mr. W. Barnett) J. T. Rogers 8 8
LADY PHYL (Miss P. M. Blackwell) Hartigan 8 8
PRETTY HIKER (Capt. G. A. Boyd-Rochfort) Ussher 8 8
SILVERDALE (Mr. M. C. Collins) ...Owner 8 8
DAINTY (Mr. C. Collins).....Owner 8 8
THE CHIEF (Mr. M. Connolly) .....Slocock 8 8
FLYING AMY (Capt. F. French Davis) W. Byrne 8 8
MISS VENTURE (Mr. J. J. Lynch) O'Leary 8 8
SNIPTER (Lord Milton) .....O'Ferrall 8 8
GLENGARA (Mrs. E. M. O'Connor) Prendergast 8 8
ROSE ROCK (Mr. J. J. Parkinson)...Owner 8 8
DILIGENT (Mr. J. J. Parkinson)...Owner 8 8
TOM TIT (Capt. D. Rogers) .....Owner 8 8
IRISH KITTY (Mr. T. G. Fletcher) Ussher 8 8
ROIBERIS (Mr. D. Frame).....Frame 8 8
FANAD LIGHT (Mr. J. W. Fullerton) Ashe 8 8
GRECIAN (Mr. H. M. Hartigan)...Owner 8 8
MOIRA (Mr. H. C. Wellesley).....Owner 8 8

Above are declared runners.

0 IRISH STAR. Carried 8-10 when unplaced in company with Lady Phyl (8-10), The Chief (8-10), Fanad Light (8-10) and Glengara (8-10) to Bismarck (9-0) Baldoyle March (5f.).
0 LADY PHYL. See Irish Star.
0 THE CHIEF. See Irish Star.
0 FANAD LIGHT. See Irish Star.
0 SWIFTER. Unplaced with 9-0 to Prince Sham (9-0) Curragh April (5f.).
0 GLENGARA. See Irish Star.
0 TOM TIT. Carried 8-10 when fourth of 10 to Donald Sarrail (9-0) Phœnix Park March (5f.).

4.0—BELVEDERE PLATE of 50 sovs. Second 5 sovs. For maiden three years old and upwards that have not been placed in a race value 300 sovs. Three, 7st. 9lb.; four, 8st. 11lb.; five and upwards, 9st. 4lb. 1 m. Age. st. lb

HOLLYWOOD STAR (Mr. H. L. Usher) Owner 4 8 11
MULLEWA (Mr. J. Cummins) .....Barry 3 7 9
LUCANIA (Sir T. Dixon) .....Parkinson 3 7 9
SOUTHERN BOY (Mr. W. J. Hillard) Owner 3 7 9
ONREYE (Mr. P. J. Leonard) ...Owner 3 7 9
VULNERABLE (Lt.-Col. R. F. Palmer) Ussher 3 7 9
MONTERAY (Mr. B. M. Slocock) Slocock 3 7 9
ENDEAVOUR (Mrs. B. M. Webster) C. Rogers 3 7 9

Above are declared runners.

02 HOLLYWOOD STAR. Carried 8-7 when beaten 1l. by Regaland (9-9) Baldoyle September (1m. 1f. 80 yds.). Carried 8-0 when fifth of 9 to Broad Frank (8-5) Curragh September (6f.).
02 LUCANIA. Carried 7-4 when beaten 4l. by Steeplejack (7-9), with Cold Bird (8-1) 1½l. behind, Phœnix Park March (1m.). Southern Boy (7-4) was fourth, Onreye (7-9) seventh, and Endeavour (8-0) further behind.
0 SOUTHERN BOY. See Lucania.
00 ONREYE. See Lucania.
01 VULNERABLE. Carried 8-5 when beaten 3l., 1½l. by Oblique (8-9) and Mystilus (8-13) Leopardstown September (5f.).
00 MONTERAY. Unplaced with 7-5 to Stepaside Lord (7-5) Curragh April (1m.).
0 ENDEAVOUR. See Lucania.

STOCKTON PROGRAMME.

2.0—BISHOPTON SELLING PLATE of 180 sovs. 1 m. Age st. lb.

GRANDFLIGHT (Cpr. Groves) Maleyna a 9 3
NEGLIGENCE (Mr. R. B. Mason) Drake 5 9 0
KENWYN (Miss Dorothy Paget) Briscoe a 9 0
SAUGOR (Mr. B. Dennis).....Drake a 8 11
SAINT BASILE (Mr. A. Boutall) G. Todd 5 8 7
SALVE (Mr. R. Brown).....Bullock 4 8 7
YARMOUTH RED (Mr. Dickie) G. Armstrong a 7 8
BLOCKADE (Mrs. D. Stubbs) D. Pennan 3 7 8
WINROS (Mr. F. G. Taylor) F. G. Taylor 3 7 8
CIRO (Mr. W. Webster).....Gunter 3 7 8
BELINDA JANE (Mr. H. Hanshaw) Hanshaw 3 7 5
SLY LOVE (Mr. C. Pincott).....Clancy 3 7 5

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
300	GRANDFLIGHT ..... Taylor	8/1
240	NEGLIGENCE ..... Marshall	6/1
103	SAUGOR ..... Forsyth	9/2
000	SAINT BASILE ..... F. Rickaby	5/1
011	BLOCKADE ..... Lightfoot	3/1
012	WINROS ..... Stocks	7/1
002	SLY LOVE ..... Weston	5/4

Above are declared runners.

10 FLASHING DAWN. Unplaced with 9-11 to Captain King (7-6) Manchester Nov. (5f.). Carried 9-5 when winning 2l., neck, from Film Fan (6-6) and Prosperity (7-2) Baldoyle Aug. (5f.). Glass Gift (7-12) was unplaced.

00 GLASS GIFT. Carried 8-11 when fifth of 6 to Film Fan (8-5) Phœnix Park Oct. (5f.). Unplaced with 9-9 in company with Tags (7-10) to Babette (8-10) Leopardstown Sept. (5f.). See Flashing Dawn.

00 MISTY WAY. Unplaced with 7-7 to Tyndley (9-2) Curragh April (1m.). Unplaced with 8-4 to La Sorciere (8-5) Naas April (1m. 180 yds.). See Vief.

00 BROWN HEATHER. Unplaced with 8-12 to Rosemary's Pet (8-5) Baldoyle Oct. (5f.). See Vici.

01 TWISTED TAG. Carried 8-7 when winning 3l., short head, from Teigus and Happy Teigus (8-10) Naas Oct. (6f.). Carried 8-12 when fifth of 12 to Old Relic (8-12) Curragh September (5f.).

00 FAITHFUL MARQUIS. See Orange Blossom. See Bristol Fleet.

13 VICI. See Orange Blossom. Carried 9-0 when winning 3l., from Accelerate (8-12) and Auld Stock (7-12) Baldoyle Sept. (5f.). Misty Way (9-2) (sixth), Brown Heather (9-6) and Lady Togo (7-8) were unplaced.

00 DOUBLE TOY. Carried 9-1 when beaten 1½l. by Team Work (7-8) Mallow Oct. (1m. 1f.). Carried 8-7 when winning 4l., same, from Follow Me (8-2) and Mr. Shakespeare (9-0) Curragh (SOUTH HILL). Prosperity (8-4) was seventh of 13. Carried 9-0 when winning 4l., 2l., from Orleal (8-7) and State Express (8-7) Phœnix Park Aug. (5f.).

30 PROSPERITY. See Double Toy and Flashing Dawn.

01 ORANGE BLOSSOM. Carried 7-7 when winning neck, 2l., from Chanlatan (9-0) and Vici (8-7) Phœnix Park March (5f.). Tags (7-13) was fourth and Faithful Marquis (8-9) fifth of 10.

00 TAGS. See Orange Blossom and Glass Gift.

00 TO WIT. Unplaced with 8-6 to Celebrator (8-10) Phœnix Park July (5f.).

00 BRISTOL FLEET. Carried 8-2 when fourth of 11 to Loch Leven (8-2) Leopardstown Nov. (5f.). Carried 8-7 when fifth of 9 to Faithful Marquis (8-9) Naas Oct. (5f.).

03 LADY TOGO. Carried 8-4 when beaten 3l., short head, by Solenoid (8-7) and Golden Mist (8-5) Phœnix Park Oct. (5f.). See Vici.

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5.30—BALBRIGGAN HANDICAP of 75 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. A winner after April 15th, 7lb. extra. 5 f.

FLASHING DAWN (Mr. Jas. Donnelly) Dullea a 10 3
GLASS GIFT (Col. Clarke) .....Clarke 4 8 13
MISTY WAY (Mr. Michael M'Donough) Parkinson 3 8 7
BROWN HEATHER (Mr. M'Kinney) .....Arnott 3 8 6
TWISTED TAG (Mr. P. Corcoran) Parkinson 3 8 5
FAITHFUL MARQUIS (Mr. Peter Kelly) Owner 3 8 4
VICI (Sir James Nelson) ..... Ruttle 3 8 4
DOUBLE TOY (Mr. M. S. Carroll) Parkinson 5 8 4
PROSPERITY (Mr. R. B. Garrett) Prendergast 4 7 11
ORANGE BLOSSOM (Lord Talbot de Malahide) Wellesley 3 7 10
TAGS (Mrs. F. Blacker) .....Keegan 4 7 12
TO WIT (Mr. V. Smyth) ....Prendergast 3 7 7
BRISTOL FLEET (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) Owner 3 7 7
LADY TOGO (Sir J. F. Grey) Ussher 3 7 7

Above are declared runners.

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
202	THE WHEEDLER ..... Speck	6/1
421	QUEEN'S PARK ..... Ingham	4/1
212	SPECTROSCOPE ..... Stott	5/2
200	YOUNG MIDDLETON...Mr. K. Goode	100/8
230	MERCURY ..... K. Piggott	7/1
002	BONQUIN ..... A. Smyth	11/2
000	NUXFORD ..... Escott	100/8
140	WELL HIT ..... Davey	100/8
141	BYRON ..... Hamey	8/1
440	COPACABANA ..... Isaac	6/1
011	COLLODIAN ..... T. Morgan	10/1
000	SHEERNESS ..... Beatty	100/8
003	SEA DEVIL ..... G. Turner	10/1
312	SPECTRESCOPE ..... Jones	100/8
000	GREAT SAND ..... J. H. Brown	10/1
000	ROSSIGNOL ..... Hickey	100/7
030	MONARCHY ..... L. Adams	100/8
303	JIMMY THE ONE ..... Ermer	8/1

2.30—WOOLVISTON WELTER HANDICAP PLATE of 150 sovs. 6 f. Age st. lb.

TWELFTH NIGHT (Mr. Jones) J. Scott 4 9 3
BROOMFORD (Mr. Smith) ...M. Peacock 3 8 10
LYNDLEY (Mr. R. Renton).....Renton 4 8 7
AFRICORN (Ld. Grimthorpe) ...Bailey 5 8 7
THERMOMETER (Mr. Clayton) ...Elsey 3 8 5
BARNACLE BILL (Comdr. Leake) 7lb. ex.) .....P. Armstrong 3 8 5
RADIO (Mr. FitzRoy).....Beatty a 8 3
SPION MORE (Capt. Wills) Fred Butters 4 8 0
SORTIE (Mr. B. Irving) ...R. Armstrong 6 8 0
T.D. (Maj. T. C. Gerrard) F. Hartigan 4 7 12
MERTON ABBEY (Mr. Taylor) Taylor 6 7 10
PERPETUAL MOTION (Sir G. Bullough) M. Peacock 3 7 7
VOYAGER (Maj. Bardwell) ...C. Leader 3 7 7
PREFACE (Mr. J. L. Dugdale) M. Peacock 4 7 7
PRINCE LOCHINVAR (Mr. Vincent Tompson) .....A. Taylor 4 7 7

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
311	BROOMFORD ..... Jamieson	9/2
330	LYNDLEY ..... H. Wragg	8/1
000	AFRICORN ..... Caldwell	10/1
140	THERMOMETER ..... J. Taylor	11/4
013	RADIO ..... H. Sirett	7/2
001	BARNACLE BILL ..... Marshall	5/1
	T.D. ..... S. Wragg	7/1
004	MERTON ABBEY ..... Stocks	100/8
024	PERPETUAL MOTION ..... Nevett	6/1
400	PREFACE ..... Roberts	10/1
003	PRINCE LOCHINVAR ..... Dowdall	10/1

3.0—STOCKTON SPRING HANDICAP PLATE of 300 sovs. 1½ m. Age st. lb.

GIGOLO (Capt. J. Fielden).....O. Bell a 9 3
PICKLE (Sir Hugh Blackett).....Webb 6 9 3
NORTH DRIFT (Mr. Downing) Varsity 5 9 3
SERVUS (Ld. Derby).....Lambton 6 9 1
BOWER OF ROSES (Capt. H. Dixon) M. Peacock 6 8 10
LEONARD (Mr. H. F. Clayton)...Elsey 6 8 6
MR. BERTRAM (Mrs. R. D. Shafto) Drake 5 8 2
BRIDGEND (Mr. H. J. Read) G. Todd 5 7 12
WHAT JOY (Sir Keith Fraser) Fraser 4 7 7
MUEZZIN (Mr. C. R. Taylor) F. Leader 6 7 0
FLOWER DAY ..... Thwaites 7/1
00 SEA EGG ..... H. Wragg 8/2
04 INDIFFERENCE ..... Caldwell 10/1

4.0—FAIRFIELD PLATE of 150 sovs. Two-year-olds. 5 f. st. lb.

RHODOLIA F. (Mrs. R. A. Dodd) F. Armstrong 9 6
ENDOWMENT G. (Sir J. Barwick) L. Colling 9 0
SAM COOK (Colonel Lundgren) ...Easterby 8 13
BLYTHSWOOD C. (Mrs. R. Scaife) Drake 8 12
TRAMAWAY (Mr. W. Smith) ...M. Peacock 8 12
LECTURN (Colonel W. F. Story) .....Elsey 8 12
OBDURATE (Mr. F. O. Taylor) Owner 8 12
TIMARU (Major L. B. Holliday) Easterby 8 12
PELF (Captain G. A. E. Hope) ...Renton 8 12
CARDINAL'S HAT (Mr. E. Haremouth) Fk. Butters 8 12
BOWMAN (Sir E. Hanmer) ...M. Peacock 8 12
VIVO OJO (Mr. M. Albrecht) .....Osborne 8 12
MOUNT ALICE (Mr. G. Armstrong) Owner 8 9
UNASSAILABLE (Mr. H. F. Clayton) Elsey 8 9
BILKED (Mr. M. Vasey) .....Owner 8 9
VIRGINIE F. (Lord Wolverton) Fk. Butters 8 9

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
1	ENDOWMENT ..... P. Beasley	11/4
0	SAM COOK ..... Thwaites	10/1
04	LECTERN ..... J. Taylor	6/1
02	OBDURATE ..... S. Wragg	5/1
0	PELF ..... Caldwell	10/1
	BOWMAN ..... Nevett	8/1
0	VIVO OJO ..... Stephenson	100/8
0	UNASSAILABLE ..... W. Bullock	100/8
01	RHODOLIA FILLY ..... Marshall	9/1
42	BILKED ..... Dowdall	7/1
2	VIRGINIE ..... Perryman	2/1
0	MOUNT ALICE ..... W. Carr	10/1

4.25—ROSSBERRY MAIDEN PLATE of 200 sovs. Three-year-olds. 1 m. st. lb.

WINSTER (Duke of Portland).....Elsey 9 2
DOUBLE DRAW (Mr. Nolan) R. J. Colling 9 2
RUNESTRID (Mr. R. Bowling) ....Owner 8 12
PRIORY COURT (Lady Fitzwilliam) Rundas 8 12
RADNOR (Mr. T. Lant) .....Fk. Butters 8 12
PATRIARCH (Mr. R. Maughan) .. Botterill 8 12
NO PARKING (Mr. W. Webster) ...Gunter 8 12
DUNCAN STEWART (Capt. Wills) Fd. Butters 8 12
CARRY ON (Mr. B. Irving) ...R. Armstrong 8 9
BON RAME (Mr. Birkinshaw).....Vasey 8 9
NEVADA (Lord Derby) .....Lambton 8 9
BLACK MARK (Lord Ellesmere) M. Peacock 8 9
JURY (Miss M. I. Hooley) .....Bissill 8 9
HATHAWAY (Mr. W. J. Peck) ...Bailey 8 9
PURE SILVER (Col. W. F. Story) ...Elsey 8 9
SIMONSITE (Mr. P. Straker) M. Peacock 8 9
ROBERTO'S FANCY (Mr. Thompson) Webb 8 9
ELECTRIC BLUE (Lady Yule) ...J. Cannon 8 9

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
013	DOUBLE DRAW ..... P. Beasley	9/2
331	WINSTER ..... J. Taylor	7/2
040	PRIORY COURT ..... James	5/1
220	RADNOR ..... Perryman	8/1
000	PATRIARCH ..... McGuigan	100/8
002	NO PARKING ..... S. Wragg	7/1
000	CARRY ON ..... Marshall	10/1
002	BON RAME ..... Braithwaite	10/1
0	NEVADA ..... Weston	11/2
	BLACK MARK ..... Nevett	10/1
00	HATHAWAY ..... Caldwell	10/1
030	SIMONSITE ..... Jamieson	100/8
040	ROBERTO'S FANCY ..... Thwaites	100/8

4.5—SANDOWN OPEN HUNTERS' STEEPLECHASE of 200 sovs. 2½ m 75 sovs. Age st. lb.

FORTNUM (Sub-Lieut. R. H. Courage) Owner a 12 3
BLUE PETER III. (Sub.-Lieut. Courage) Owner a 12 3
HOLMES (Mr. E. Drake) ...Beechener a 12 3
RED RUFUS II. (Miss Paget) ...Briscoe a 11 13
LARD (Mr. Hodges) J. A. Graham) Aprile a 11 13
WALES II. (Mr. P. Curtis) .....Rimell a 11 13
CANUTE (Major McCreery) L. Anthony a 11 8
OUR RIPPLE (Mr. McElray) ...Private 6 11 8
TOLLEY (Lady Somerville) .....Bissill a 11 8
GROVE BRIDGE (Mrs. A. Heald) Poole a 11 8
RED RAMBLER II. (Mr. A. S. Kilby) Beeby a 11 8
READABLE (Mr. C. Winn) .....Gosden a 11 8
LE SULTAN (Mr. G. Crossman) Bissill a 11 3
TORN (Mr. W. Dynes) .....Owner a 11 3
PASS BOOK II. (Capt. C. Leyland) Reuten a 11 3
THE JESTER (Major Radclyffe) R. Gordon a 10 12
MACCAROON (Maj. E. Barker) L. Ward a 10 12
GOLDEN SPRIG (Colonel O. Birkbeck) T. Leader 6 10 12
PERVIZON (Mr. G. Clayton) .....Owner a 10 12
THE SQUAW (Lord Denman) E. Wilson a 10 12
FIRST PURCHASE (Mr. E. Fanshawe) Private a 10 12
SKYFLIER (Lord Grenfell) .....Ancil a 10 12
COUNTY WICKLOW (Major G. P. Hornby) .....H. Smyth 5 10 8

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
011	BLUE PETER III. ...Sub.-Lt. Courage	11/4
220	CLEAR THE WAY ..... R. McCarthy	100/8
003	ROYAL DEFENCE ..... Davey	100/8
01C	AIRBLOOM ..... Ramsey	9/2
040	QUATORZE ..... T. Morgan	100/7
000	FAIR SHEILA ..... Keogh	100/7
000	ACHROY ..... Stott	10/1
002	THREE FEATHERS ..... Wilkinson	100/8

3.0—GRAND INTERNATIONAL HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 500 sovs. 3m 5f. 25 yds. Age st. lb.

THE BROWN TALISMAN (Mr. Stephens) Blair a 12 7
ALIKE (Mr R. K. Mellon) .....Law a 12 5
HUIC HOLLOA (Mr. W. Waddington) Waddington a 12 3
HOLMES (Mr. E. Drake) ...Beechener a 12 3
ANNANDALE (Lord Glenapp) ...Barrett a 12 1
CATHALAN (Mr. W. Edwards) ...Thrale a 12 0
REALLY TRUE (Major Furlong) ...Gale a 11 10
ONWARD (Mr. R. Renton) .....Renton a 11 4
FORTNUM (Sub-Lieut. Courage) Courage a 11 4
SORLEY BOY (Mr. F. Clark) L. Anthony 6 11 3
CHADD'S FORD (Mr. F. Clark) (9lb. ex.) L. Anthony a 11 2
LIVERTON LODGE (Mr. J. Harper) J. Harper a 10 12
THE ACE II. (M. de San-Miguel) Duller a 10 12
ARUNTIUS (Mr. M. D. Blair) ...Blair a 10 11
HANK (Mr. H. Cherry-Downes) ...Gale a 10 9
GREAT SPAN (Mr. M. D. Blair) Blair a 10 8
LARE (Mr. J. P. A. Graham) .....Ancil a 10 7

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
100	THE BROWN TALISMAN ....Hardy	10/1
112	ALIKE ..... Owner	7/1
331	HUIC HOLLOA ..... Hodgson	8/1
112	HOLMES ..... Mr. Beechener	8/1
204	ANNANDALE ..... T. Morgan	8/1
310	CATHALAN ..... Capt. Brownhill	10/1
012	REALLY TRUE ..... Mr. Furlong	8/1
010	ONWARD ..... Stott	7/1
111	FORTNUM ..... Sub. Lieut. Courage	100/8
112	SORLEY BOY ..... Mr. R. Bowling	100/8
122	LIVERTON LODGE ..... G. Goswell	10/1
003	THE ACE II. ..... F. Maxwell	10/1
000	ARUNTIUS ..... Sir P. Lawson	100/8
410	HANK ..... Hamey	10/1
004	GREAT SPAN ..... Mr. P. Gallway	100/8
022	LARE ..... C. Ancil	100/8

3.30—CARLTON SELLING PLATE of 180 sovs. Two-year-olds. 5 f. st. lb.

ROSULA G. (Mr. A. B. Briscoe) ...Briscoe 8 9
CORNERSTONE (Mr. R. Dand) H. Peacock 8 9
RIFLEMAN VII. (Mr. T. B. Bowville) Elsey 8 0
DAIRY (Mrs. M. Brook).....M. Vasey 8 6
ANGELIC (Mr. H. F. Clayton).....Elsey 8 0
SKIPPER'S SLIP F. (Mr. R. J. Colling) R. J. Colling 8 6
TARTARESS F. (Mrs. Dodd) F. Armstrong 8 0
FRESH START (Col. B. C. Fairfax) Easterby 8 6
FLOWER DAY G. (Mr. C. Jackson) Easterby 8 6
SEA EGG F. (Mr. J. L. Jarvis) G. Barling 8 0
GLEN FOX (Ld. Lonsdale) ...R. Armstrong 8 0
INDIFFERENCE (Mr. G. Peck).....Beasley 8 6
MISS BLAKENEY (Mr. R. Pope).....Pope 8 6
ANNA GODDEN F. (Mr. W. B. Ridsdell) H. Hanshaw 8 6
FORTUNE TELLER (Mr. Smith) M. Peacock 8 6
FRANCESCA (Capt. Wills).....Fred Butters 8 6

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
01	FORTUNE TELLER ..... Nevett	4/1
0	RIFLEMAN VII. ..... Stephenson	10/1
021	DAIRY ..... Dowdall	5/1
	ANGELIC ..... J. Taylor	8/1
3	SKIPPER'S SLIP ..... P. Beasley	6/4

SANDOWN PROGRAMME.

2.0—ST. JAMES' SELLING HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 150 sovs. 2 m Age st. lb.

ESSEX BEACON (Mr. I. Davis) Thrale 5 12 7
SHOPLIFTER (Mr. D. Dennis) P. Dennis 6 12 5
THE WHEEDLER (Sir M. McAlpine) Duller a 12 4
QUEEN'S PARK (Mr. S. Wootton) F. Wootton 5 12 7
INVERMARK (Mr. T. Richards) W. Nightingall a 12 1
SPECTROSCOPE (Mr. H. Collins) Bennett a 11 13
YOUNG MIDDLETON (Mr. Goode) K. Goode a 11 10
MERCURY (Mr. E. Piggott) E. Piggott a 11 9
BOUQUIN (Mr. V. Smyth) W. Smyth a 11 7
EVENING SUN (Mr. F. Pirie) Collinson a 11 6
NUXFORD (Mr. A. Berry)...F. Morgan a 11 5
WELL HIT (Major C. Nevison) Stevens a 11 2
BYRON (Mrs. M. King) G. Wilson 6 11 0
ETHELWULF (Mr. Anderton) W. Nightingall a 10 12
COPACABANA (Mr. de Mestre) Owner 6 10 12
COLLODIAN (Mr. A. Savile) ... Hedges 5 10 7
SHEERNESS (Major D. Mairs) ... Mairs 5 10 4
SEA DEVIL (Mr. A. Law) .....Law 4 10 4
ORMINSTER (Mr. G. Stephens) J. Nightingall 6 10 1
GREAT SAND (Mr. H. Brown) H. Brown a 10 0
ROSSIGNOL (Mr. Hutchinson) Hedges a 10 0
MONARCHY (Mr. F. Wilmot) G. Bennett a 10 0
JIMMY THE ONE (Mrs. E. Tabor) Tabor 4 10 0

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
202	THE WHEEDLER ..... Speck	6/1
421	QUEEN'S PARK ..... Ingham	4/1
212	SPECTROSCOPE ..... Stott	5/2
200	YOUNG MIDDLETON...Mr. K. Goode	100/8
230	MERCURY ..... K. Piggott	7/1
002	BONQUIN ..... A. Smyth	11/2
000	NUXFORD ..... Escott	100/8
140	WELL HIT ..... Davey	100/8
141	BYRON ..... Hamey	8/1
440	COPACABANA ..... Isaac	6/1
011	COLLODIAN ..... T. Morgan	10/1
000	SHEERNESS ..... Beatty	100/8
003	SEA DEVIL ..... G. Turner	10/1
312	SPECTRESCOPE ..... Jones	100/8
000	GREAT SAND ..... J. H. Brown	10/1
000	ROSSIGNOL ..... Hickey	100/7
030	MONARCHY ..... L. Adams	100/8
303	JIMMY THE ONE ..... Ermer	8/1

3.0—GREAT SANDOWN HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 400 sovs. 2m. Age st. lb.

GAY LIGHT (Mrs. Crossman) F. Hartigan 6 12 7
KNIGHT OF KNOCKEEVAN (Mr. A. R. McAlpine) .....G. C. Poole 6 12 4
RESIDUE (Mr. B. Warner) ...O. Anthony 6 12 2
CLEAR CAST (Sir J. Grey) O. Anthony a 11 11
STEP FORWARD (Mr. Robson) W. Nightingall 5 11 7
BROKEN ICE (Mr. G. B. Bates) Thrale 5 11 7
TEES HEAD (Mr. M. Stephens) ...Blair 5 11 4
DAYBOY (Mr. J. R. Canty) .....Canty 4 11 3
PORTHAON (Sir M. McAlpine) ...M. Bell 6 11 0
RUSSET (Mr. J. Baylis) .....G. Wilson 4 10 13
BESTOBELL (Mr. Blenkiron) W. Nightingall 4 10 13
TIN O' MINT (Mr. A. Gemmell).....Mairs a 10 11
TRILLION (Sir H. Wernher) I. Anthony 4 10 9
SWIFTFORD (Mr. Harvey) W. Nightingall 4 10 4
ST. MARK (Mr. V. Emanuel) ...Duller 4 10 7
THE WELSHER (Mr. J. Moseby) H. Hunt 4 10 6

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
220	MR. FLIM ..... Davey	100/8
040	TRUE MONARCH ..... Pelerin	7/1
1	LISBURN ..... Speck	5/2
400	BEN MOY ..... Callinan	5/1
402	SILVERBURN ..... D. Williams	9/2
022	WOODGEON ..... Stott	3/1
300	ATHNUS ..... Ingham	4/1
1	BATTLE ON ..... J. H. Brown	10/1

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

St. James's Selling Hurdle—**Spectroscope.**
Pavilion Selling Steeplechase—**Pure Knight**
Grand International Steeplechase—**Cathalan** (nap).
Great Sandown Hurdle—**Knight of Knockeevan.**
Open Hunters' Steeplechase—**Blue Peter III**
Kingston Handicap Hurdle—**Woodgeon.**

FORM HORSES.

2. 0—Spectroscope. 3.35—Knight of
2.30—Cheviotdale. Knockeevan.
3. 0—Chadd's Ford (nap). 4. 5—Blue Peter III.
4.35—Lisburn.

Eclipse.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

Bishopton Selling—**Ciro.**
Woolviston Welter—**Thermometer** (nap).
Spring Handicap—**Gigolo.**
Carlton Selling—**Sea Egg filly.**
Fairfield Plate—**Bilked.**
Rossberry Plate—**Priory Court.**

TO-DAY'S DOUBLE.
Cathalan (Sandown) and **Thermometer** (Stockton).

FORM HORSES.

2. 0—Sly Love. 3.30—Skipper's Slip f.
2.30—Barbacle Bill (nap). 4. 0—Virginie f.
3. 0—Gigolo. 4.30—Double Draw.

Eclipse.

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SANDOWN RESULTS.

2.0—CLAYGATE SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. 1 m.

Mr. E. G. de Mestre's b. c. NEGRO, by Apple Sammy—Wannihu, 3, 7-4.....F. Hodson 1
Major A. Bousou's ENNIS BRIDGE, 3, 9-3 H. Wragg 2
Mrs. D. Stubbs' BLOCKADE, 3, 7-6...F. Rickaby 3
Also ran—Eiton (H. Jellis), Silvero (A. Burns), Dundrave (A. Wragg), Tuirill (W. Hook), Perth (R. Dick), First Principle (K. Robertson), Nostamas (S. Donoghue), Suttywallings (P. Donoghue), Stormy M. Beary), Cornell (F. Lane), Good Shot (C. Richards), Epicurus (G. Richards), Cannockhorn (G. Barnes), Red Pointer (J. Sirett), On Hand (T. Morris), Brenford (F. Fox), Ballyat (J. Dines). Off 2.4. Won by one length; trained by de Mestre.
Betting—5 to 1 each agst. NEGRO and Ennis Bridge, 6 to 1 Blockade, 7 to 1 Red Pointer, 8 to 1 each Brenford and Perth, 10 to 1 Dundrave, 100 to 7 Good Shot, 20 to 1 Elton, 33 to 1 Silvero.
Won by five lengths; two lengths. Red Pointer was fourth, and Ballyat last.
Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 18/3; places, 5/6, 8/9.
The winner was bought in for 800 gns.

**2.30—WALTON SELLING PLAT

IRISH ATHLETIC REVIVAL

General Appeal for Funds

Some time ago I made a personal appeal for Funds to enable the National Athletic and Cycling Association of Ireland to undertake the re-organisation of athletics in this country. The success of my appeal exceeded the most sanguine expectations. Although the number to whom it was addressed was limited, the magnificent sum of £3,370 was realised, and as a result the Association cleared off a long outstanding debt of £700. In addition, we undertook three great International competitions — the International Cross Country Championship, the Scotch v. Irish, and the French v. Irish Athletic contests. Although these events, as was expected, owing to the lack of interest in Athletics, caused a severe drain on the Fund, they were carried out in a manner which reflected credit on this country, and in each Irish successes were recorded.

We also sent a team to represent Ireland at the World Cycling Championships at Copenhagen, which, under the circumstances, gave a good account of itself.

Again, we secured the services of the world-famous coach, Alex. Nelson, of Cambridge University, who, in the short time at his disposal, rendered splendid service to our young athletes at various centres.

We have also paid a worthy tribute to Ireland's past champions at a magnificent Banquet given in their honour, and to which present-day champions were invited.

Notwithstanding these undertakings, we have still on hands a substantial balance to enable us to continue our schemes.

At the last Annual Congress our Association set itself a big programme for 1932, as follows :—

1. Cross Country Championships—Senior and Junior.
2. Schools' and Colleges' Championships.
3. National Athletic and Cycling Championships.
4. Athletic contest in Scotland with Scotland.
5. Athletic contest with Birchfield Harriers in Dublin.
6. Athletic contest with Achilles Club in Dublin.
7. Tailteann Games.
8. Olympic Games, Los Angeles.
9. World Cycling Championships, Rome.

Furthermore, an extensive re-organisation scheme is being organised with the purpose of placing Athletics in its proper position in our Schools and Colleges; the establishment, as far as possible, of Inter-parish competitions, and we have again engaged the services of Alex. Nelson.

This is a formidable and ambitious programme, in which every Athletic Club, Committee and Council of our Association is co-operating whole-heartedly, and towards which we earnestly solicit the sympathy and support of the Irish people.

We do not expect anyone who subscribed to my personal appeal of 1931 to again contribute. The object of this general appeal is to give all who had not an opportunity of subscribing already to do so now. We believe that everyone interested in the building up of a virile race which will be the hope and pride of our country will be anxious to be associated with this great Athletic Revival movement. Large contributions are not expected, but we want the name of every citizen to appear in the souvenir booklet which will be issued immediately the list is closed, a copy of which will be sent to each subscriber.

Subscriptions will be received by :—
GENERAL O'DUFFY, Dépôt, Phœnix Park, Dublin.
J. J. McGILTON, Hon. Secretary, and T. J. NOLAN, Hon. Treasurer, } Shamrock Chambers, 59 Dame Street, Dublin.
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All subscriptions will be acknowledged in the Dublin and Provincial Press. First list on Saturday, 4th June, 1932. This will serve as an open check on all moneys contributed.

At the unanimous request of all supporters of Athletics in Ireland—North and South—I decided to withdraw my resignation, and with renewed energy to complete the work I undertook in 1931. Take advantage of this new opportunity of showing your real desire to support the Athletic Revival campaign which is again re-opened. Send your subscription to-day, or kindly cut out this advertisement, and keep it as a reminder of a duty yet to be performed.

Signed on behalf of the N.A.C.A.

EOIN O'DUFFY, President.

ELSWORTH UNLUCKY.

GOLEARIA WINS LEOPARDSTOWN STEEPLECHASE.

DESPITE small fields there was some interesting racing at Leopardstown yesterday, which was enjoyed under true spring-like conditions. The Leopardstown Steeplechase provided about the best race, and was won by Mrs. P. J. Leonard's Golearia from Elsworth, whose owner-driver, Mr. Fred Clarke, experienced bad luck, but for which he might easily have won.

ELSWORTH'S BAD LUCK.

The favourite, Philalice, who had no penalty for winning at the last meeting, was early out of the reckoning through blundering, and throwing her rider, Mr. F. E. McKeever, at the third fence. Elsworth's trouble started at the water jump, about a mile from home, where he made a mistake, and lost his bridle. Mr. Clarke was thus handicapped for the remainder of the journey, and though he made a fair battle over the last three fences, once in the straight Golearia drew away, and won a bit comfortably. The disappointment of the race was A.P., who was beaten a long way from home, as was Nice Token.

By the fall of Philalice Mr. McKeever sustained slight concussion, and was unable to ride Hebrew in the three miles steeplechase, Sir Arnest Goff taking his place. It has been an unlucky season for Mr. McKeever, as he had only recovered from a couple of other spills. Hebrew made a bold show in the other steeplechase for a long way, but Cold Punch outjumping all opponents throughout the race had a good deal in reserve at the finish, and won in easy style, Cadamstown Lad, having cut himself in the morning, was not a runner.

SOL DE TERRE'S CANTER.

As was anticipated, the Pavilion Plate was little more than an easy canter for Mrs. C. L. Mackean's good horse, Sol de Terre. The son of Soldennis took up the running at halfway and came into the straight with a good lead. Celebrator lessened the gap slightly, and momentarily looked like making some sort of a bid, but Sol de Terre had only to be roused to go away again and win with ease.

It came as a surprise to find that Moynalty was supported with such confidence for the Stillorgan Two-Year-Old Plate as to almost oust Prince Sham from the position of favourite. The latter had won in very convincing style at the Curragh, and he now confirmed that form by holding his position on the rails throughout despite the vigorous challenge of Moynalty, who got on terms several times. Miss Brophy's colt ran on in very game style and won by a neck.

The valuable Spring Two-Year-Old Plate only attracted four runners, and was won in easy style by Mr. J. T. Roger's The Doe, who at the Curragh had finished third to Ballylinch and Dr. Stratismus in the Youngsters' Stakes. Jackmore kept company with the winner for about three furlongs, but from that point The Doe had the race in safe keeping and easily held off Rash Greek, who only came upon the scene in the last furlong.

FAITHFUL TAG'S RETURN.

There was very close wagering between Last Tag, Some Gift and Faithful Tag for the Tower Plate, but in the race Faithful Tag dominated the situation all the way. The son of Tagrag was in Mr. H. Powney's stable in England last season, but failed to earn a winning bracket, and this was his first appearance on an Irish course since he won the Bray Plate at Leopardstown in November, 1930, and, strange to relate, it was Some Gift who finished second to him then too. The pair were meeting on level terms on that occasion, whereas Some Gift was now in receipt of 18lb. Details :—

3.0—**PAVILION PLATE** of 75 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. Weight for age. 1 m.
Mrs. C. L. Mackean's ch. h. SOL DE TERRE, by Soldennis—Cascatel, 5, 0-5 ...M. Wing 1
Mr. E. S. Croker's CELEBRATOR, 3, 8-12 ..... E. M. Quirke 2
Mr. Peter Kelly's BREAGAN, 5, 8-12 ..... L. Fitzpatrick 3
Mr. H. M. Hartigan's Dusky Chief, 3, 8-12 ..... Jos. Canty 0
Mr. H. Kennedy's Cinnia, 3, 7-9 ..... W. Howard 0
(Winner trained by Col. A. J. Blake.)
Betting—5 to 2 on SOL DE TERRE, 3 to 1 agst. Celebrator, 10 to 1 Dusky Chief, 100 to 1 each Breagan and Cinnia.
Tote Prices—W5 (2/-), 3/-; places, 2/6, 2/6.

Breagan set the pace to Cinnia, Dusky Chief and Celebrator to the straight, when Sol de Terre drew into the lead, followed by Celebrator, and won by 3 lengths; same. Time—1 min. 55 secs.

3.30—**STILLORGAN TWO YEARS OLD PLATE** of 75 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. 5f.
Miss T. Brophy's ch. c. PRINCE SHAM, by Rockesavage—Sangha, 9-7 (carr. 9-6) ..... M. Barrett 1
Mr. J. G. Fitzgerald's MOYNALTY, 8-10 ..... J. Moylan 2
Mr. F. Clarke's GUARDIAN ANGEL, 8-10 ..... W. Howard 3
(Winner trained by Parkinson.)
Betting—Evens each PRINCE SHAM and Moynalty, 50 to 1 agst. Guardian Angel.
Tote Price—Win (5/-), 5/6.

Moynalty showed in front for three furlongs, when Prince Sham assumed command, and won a good finish by a neck; six lengths. Time—68 2-5 secs.

4.0—**SPRING PLATE** of 200 sovs. Second 30 sovs., third 20 sovs. For two years old. 5 f.
Mr. J. T. Rogers's b. f. THE DOE, by Torlonia —Hunted Lady, 8-2 ..... E. Gardner 1
Sir T. Dixon's RASH GREEK, 7-11 Jos. Canty 2
Mr. D. P. O'Brien's JACKMORE, 8-6 ..... W. Howard 3
Mr. J. E. St. George's Dilly George, 8-6 ..... M. Wing 0
Mr. M. Walsh's Maid Margy, 7-12 John Doyle 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—Evens THE DOE, 3 to 1 agst. Jackmore, 4 to 1 Rash Greek, 100 to 16 Dilly George, 100 to 1 Maid Margy.
Tote Price—Win (2/-), 4/-; places, 2/6, 2/6.

The Doe led from Dilly George, Jackmore, and Rash Greek for a couple of furlongs, when Jackmore took a slight lead. A little further on The Doe resumed the command, and drawing clear of Rash Greek, won by six lengths; four lengths, Dilly George was fourth. Time—67 1-5 secs.

4.30—**LEOPARDSTOWN STEEPLECHASE** of 200 sovs. Second 30 sovs., third 20 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. 2½ m.
Mrs. P. J. Leonard's br. g. GOLEARIA, by Soldennis—Gleoria, a, 9-13 .....D. Doyle 1
Mr. F. Clarke's ELSWORTH, 5, 10-13 Owner 2
Mr. E. L. Lloyd's LADY HEATH, 5, 9-8 ..... J. Costello 3
Mr. R. J. Duggan's A.P., a, 11-6 W. T. O'Grady 0
Mr. D. Murray's Philalice, a, 10-4 ..... Mr. F. E. McKeever 0
Mr. J. T. Rogers's Nice Token, a, 9-10 ..... J. Cullen 0
(Winner trained by Leonard.)
Betting—7 to 4 agst. Philalice, 3 to 1 A.P., 5 to 1 each GOLEARIA and Nice Token, 100 to 14 Elsworth, 50 to 1 Lady Heath.
Tote Prices—Win (2/-), 9/6; places, 3/6, 4/-.

Philalice blundered and unshipped her rider at the third fence, and Elsworth went on from Golearia, A.P. and Lady Heath, with Nice Token next. At half way Elsworth made a mistake, and lost ground, and Golearia made the running, and won easily by six lengths; four lengths, A.P. was fourth, Nice Token fifth. Time—5 mins. 27 3-5 secs.

5.0—**TOWER HANDICAP** of 75 sovs. Second 10 sovs. third 5 sovs. 5f.
Mr. Peter Kelly's b. or br. g. FAITHFUL TAG, by Tagrag—Faithful Colleen, 5, 9-7 ..... L. Fitzpatrick 1
Mr. John Doyle's SOME GIFT, 5, 8-3 ..... John Doyle 2
Mrs. M. E. Whitney's LAST TAG, 3, 7-13 (car. 8-1) ..... J. Moylan 3
Mrs. B. M. Webster's Babette, 4, 8-1 R. Cullen 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—7 to 4 agst. Last Tag, 2 to 1 Some Gift, 5 to 2 FAITHFUL TAG, 100 to 16 Babette.
Tote Price—Win (2/-), 6/-.

Faithful Tag jumped off in front of Some Gift, Last Tag, and Babette, and, making all the running, won by three lengths; fourth lengths. Time—66 1-5 secs.

5.30—**BRAY HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE** of 75 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. 3 m. 100 yds.
Mrs. M. E. Whitney's gr. g. COLD PUNCH, by Aquafortis—Ayesha, a, 12-7 ...W. T. O'Grady 1
Mr. R. Crotty's HEBREW, a, 10-6 ...Sir E. Goff 2
Mr. M. P. Minch's DASHING STAR, 6, 9-7 ..... P. Costello 3
Mrs. R. Richards's The Tuskar, a, 10-0 ..... P. Fitzgerald 0
Betting—6 to 4 on COLD PUNCH, 4 to 1 each agst. Hebrew and The Tuskar, 100 to 6 Dashing Star.
Tote Price—Win (2/-), 3/-.

Hebrew led from The Tuskar, Cold Punch and Dashing Star, and there was little change until three-quarters of a mile from home, when The Tuskar lost his plate, and Cold Punch, drawing to the front, won easily by thirty lengths; same. Time—7 mins. 33 3-5 secs.

TOTE DOUBLE.

Golearia and Cold Punch—Dividend (5/- stake), £3 7/-; 29 winning tickets. Pool total £108 5/-. Day's pool total £353 19/-.

ST. BOSWELLS UNPLACED.

KING SALMON'S FINE FINISH IN STUD PRODUCE STAKES.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

SANDOWN, Friday.

THE weather was probably the best thing about the meeting this afternoon; for summer weather burst suddenly upon us, and if Epsom was uncomfortably cold, it was almost uncomfortably hot here—at least for the timorous who had not had the courage to throw off their top coats.

The Tudor Stakes did not attract any three-year-old of importance; for a late decision was made to keep Bulandshar for the Chester Vase. The Manton stable, which supplied the winner of the Esher Cup yesterday, supplied the favourite here, St. Boswells, one of the late Sir John Rutherford's horses. He did not run any too well; for after his jockey dropped him in second last, he could not, or would not, improve a great deal, and only finished fourth.

The race was won by Mr. Esmond's Foxhunter, a half-brother by Foxlaw to the Gold Cup winner, Trimdon. He won fairly easily by half a length from Major Sneyd's Sir Joshua Reynolds, a brother to his veteran, Sir Joshua. E. Smith, who rode the second, lodged an objection for bumping and boring, but this was overruled.

Sir Joshua Reynolds put up a promising performance; for he had lost several lengths at the start through his unruliness, and at the turn into the straight, when his jockey tried to come through on the inside, he could not get an opening, so he had to come on the outside with a good deal of leeway to make up. Philens finished third, beaten two lengths behind the second.

GOOD TWO-YEAR-OLD FORM.

It is likely that the form in the Sandown Park Stud Produce Stakes was good, and there were some remarkably nice youngsters in the field, including a half-sister to Blandford by Friar Marcus, called Nun's Veil, who ran well and will win a good race in her turn.

This event fell to Lord Carnarvon's King Salmon, by Salmon Trout, on whom Carslake, after appearing to be almost hopelessly out of it, got up on the post to beat Solar Boy by a head, with the 20 to 1 chance, Sethos, a length and a half away third.

Solar Boy was one of the best away, and made most of the running, but the winner just wore him down. Lord Carnarvon bred the winner himself. He is out of his well-known mare, Malva, and is probably a good one.

Jack Jarvis, who trains Foxhunter, also had another winner. This was Mr. Charles Gordon's Damerham, one of the most improved horses in training; for this made his third race and his third victory this season. He beat Golden Legend at Newmarket last week with 8st. 13lb. and had a 5lb. penalty here, but this in no way stopped him, and he won by a comfortable half-length from Early Closing.

FAVOURITE'S VICTORY.

Harry Beasley had a winner when Mr. Joseph Benson's Buchanita easily won the Guildford Handicap, for which he started favourite. When Smoky Light began to drop back he and Blue Don singled themselves out, and he beat the other by a length.

The executive here, which charges bookmakers a supplementary £4 for the privilege of plying their trade and £1 4s. to the general public, had a splendid meeting as regards surpluses. A winner yesterday, A.P.M., made 710 guineas, and after Negro, entered to be sold for 100 sovs., had beaten Ennis Bridge by five lengths in the Claygate Selling Plate, De Mestre had to go to 800 guineas to buy him in. Ennis Bridge, who had 9st. 3lb., could not give 22lb. to Negro, who seemed a moderate sort of plater last year, and must have made his full value here.

Then Blue Zone made 580 guineas after she had beaten Quel Bonheur by three lengths in the Walton Selling Plate. Captain Kirk trained this grey filly, who is a daughter of Zanoni, the sire of Petoni, and she came and crumpled up Quel Bonheur and Circular Saw easily.

SELECTIONS.

The meeting here to-morrow is under National Hunt Rules, and it will be the last occasion until October when Metropolitan racegoers will have a chance of seeing any jumping. The Grand International Steeplechase is the big event, and this may go to ANNANDALE, while HOLMES should take the Sandown Open Hunters' Race. The Great Sandown Hurdle may be won by KNIGHT OF KNOCKEEVAN.

At the Stockton meeting I like the chance of GIGOLO in the Spring Handicap and of VIRGINIE FILLY in the Fairfield Plate.

GALTEE MORE.

NEWMARKET NOTES.

CLUSTINE'S PROGRESS FOR THE GUINEAS : TO-DAY'S HINTS.

NEWMARKET, Friday.

AS is generally the case on a Friday very little work took place on the Heath this morning. Barling gave Dieme, Galavale and Crown Royal a good five furlongs spin. The last-named has done well since running at Nottingham, and as she is nicely weighted in the Bretby Handicap here on Wednesday she will be dangerous.

Captain Boyd-Rochfort sent his Two Thousand Guineas candidate, Loaningdale, six furlongs at a nice pace with Sir Andrew, Racedale, Pinacho, Sir Walter Raleigh and Sandals, and will, I expect, be sent over the distance of the race at a good pace to-morrow. Jacopo went seven furlongs at a nice pace by himself.

It was over one mile and a quarter that Gilpin sent Rolling Rock at a nice pace with Semitona. The progress made by Mrs. L. Ball's colt since he won here last week has been very satisfactory.

Sigiri went well in a similar spin with Fomentor and Pyrene. Last year Sigiri was very little behind Rolling Rock when they were tried, but he failed to show that form in public. It would come as no surprise to me to see him win the Chippenham Stakes on Wednesday.

Darling has kept Clustine well on the move since he finished second to Dorigen, and the colt travelled in nice style in an easy six furlongs spin. If he comes out of his spin to-morrow to my satisfaction he will be my win and place selection for next Wednesday's classic event.

It appears that Lord Glanely intends to run Paddington next Wednesday, ridden by F. Rickaby. The colt kept Grand Salute well on the stretch in a good pace gallop over one mile, and as he has made the necessary improvement since he was last seen in public I am prepared to see him run well. Ida Dear was the mount of F. Rickaby, and displayed plenty of dash in a good six furlongs spin with Grand Peace. This daughter of Grand Parade and Sky Glory was quite frisky after her spin, and her fall here last week does not appear to have upset her.

An interesting gallop was that which the Hon. G. Lambton gave Salmon Leap with Guiscard, Cap Finisterre (Weston), Junior Counsel (Wells), and Zane Grey (J. Hulse) over one mile and a half. He will, I understand, make his first appearance of the season in the Coronation Cup at Epsom.

The Victoria Cup horse, Pricket, moved well with Leisure Hour, California, Guidecca, and Straniero over seven furlongs. Dorigen had a good five furlongs spin with Cruiser, and looks like winning the Ely Plate here on Thursday.

F. Leach has not saddled a winner this season, but I look upon his charge, Highwayman, as being favourably weighted for the Risby Three-Year-Old Handicap here on Tuesday, and he carried J. Leach in good style in a good mile spin.

We can only muster nine runners at Stockton to-morrow, and we are not represented in the first two races.

Servus will carry Lord Derby's colours in the Stockton Spring Handicap, and the old horse has done well in his gallops, but I doubt if he will give 20lb. to

MUEZZIN.

Sea Egg filly and

**SKIPPER'S SLIP FILLY*

will contest the Carlton Selling Plate, and the latter, who ran well in a similar event at Alexandra Park, has my vote.

When Endowment gelding won at Catterick he beat a lot of unknown quantities, but he will have a strong following for the Fairfield Plate. However,

VIRGINIE FILLY

ran well in better-class company when just beaten by Chapeau gelding last week, and she has my vote.

Nevada, Radnor and

PRIORY COURT (next best)

will contest the Roseberry Plate, and the last-named should win.

GOLF.

HAVE YOU A BALL IN THE SHOOT?

HOW PORTMARNOCK CLUB AVOIDS CONGESTION.

BY OUR GOLF CORRESPONDENT.

A GOLFING friend had an annoying experience recently at his club. Having an appointment for a single, and cutting time rather close, he taxied the three miles to the club, where, on arrival ten minutes late, he found his opponent waiting for him dressed in leather coat and "waiders." It was raining heavily and blowing hard, but it was evidently a big day at the club, as the long "shoot" was half filled with balls. Only a few players, however, were on the tee. Our friends put a ball in the shoot and went off to lunch, reckoning that they had at least half an hour to wait, but when after twenty minutes they strolled out to see how many were before them they discovered that they were just as far behind as when they put the ball in.

Another long delay in the clubhouse—it was still raining heavily—and a hurried visit to the shoot revealed that they were still considerably behind, so they decided to pack up and go home. What occurred was that advantage was taken of the absence of themselves and others to put back the balls of those who were not on the spot at the moment their turn arrived—every golfer from time to time has the same experience unless he takes the precaution to remain on the tee and patiently await his turn, as there are always others eager to put the balls of the dallying ones behind and get off themselves. You cannot blame them.

THE COMFORT OF IT!

It occurs at all the big clubs during the week-ends. If you want to get off early on a Saturday afternoon, or before lunch on Sunday, you must be on the spot an hour or more before the time you have in mind for starting, and even then, you have to watch the "shoot" closely.

It used to be that way at Portmarnock, but a casual visitor to the club on a Saturday afternoon, or early on Sunday, will not now see a crowd waiting on the first tee. The Committee decided on instituting a time table, or starting board. At the outset it caused some annoyance to those who did not comply with the regulations for working the new system; but they quickly accommodated themselves to the changed conditions, and since then things are working with smoothness and precision.

The time table is simplicity itself. When you have arranged your matches for the following Saturday and Sunday, say for 1 o'clock or 10 o'clock, you consult the board. The particular times you desire to play at may have been filled in, but you find that 1.15 on Saturday and 10.15 on Sunday are blank, so you enter your name in the spaces marked out for these hours, arrive at the club a few minutes before your time, walk on to the tee at the exact moment arranged, and drive off, as you have the right to. Perhaps you have not been to the club for a few weeks, but you can ring up the club, and you will be informed how the time table stands and when you and your friend may go off.

What a boon it would be if the same system were in operation at others of the big clubs during the summer week-ends!

MR. F. W. SHARPE
(Captain, Portmarnock G.C.).

CARLOW GOLF CLUB.

OPEN MEETING,

WHIT SATURDAY, SUNDAY and MONDAY. —(Advt.)

CASTLE.—To-day—Open singles (Dr. Jackson Memorial Cup), best nett, second nett and best gross prizes. Handicap limit, 18. Draws 10 a.m. 2 p.m. Entrance 2/6.—(Advt.)

DUBLIN EXECUTIVE, I.L.G.U. LEINSTER SCRATCH CUPS.

Entries for the Leinster Scratch Cups, Senior and Junior Divisions, close on April 26 with the hon. secretary, 46 Fitzwilliam square.

The gold medal will be played for on Monday, May 2, in conjunction with the Leinster Cup.

NICE TITLE WON AT THE 41ST HOLE.

Peter Gannon, who ran up for the South of Ireland Championship at Lahinch in 1908, and won the Amateur Championship of France in 1910, figured in a remarkable finish to the final of the Nice Championship at Cagnes-sur-Mer, in which he beat F. C. Robertson, champion of the State of Vermont (United States). After eighteen holes the match was square, each being round in 72. Gannon was leading by three holes at the 30th, but they finished level, and Gannon won at the 41st to retain the title, which he had won twice.

LADIES' GOLF UNION.

The Silver and Bronze Handicap Challenge Bowls Meeting of the L.G.U. (open to all members in the Silver and Bronze Medal Divisions who are members of clubs in Ireland affiliated to the L.G.U.) will be held at Milltown Club, Dublin, on Thursday, 28th April. The meeting is open only to members in the Silver and Bronze Medal Divisions of L.G.U. clubs in Ireland, or winners of a silver or bronze medal in 1931.

The Coronation Medal will be played for at this meeting. Players may arrange their own partners, but draws will be held for those who have not arranged partners, the first being at 10 a.m.

Entries to be sent to Mrs. C. L. Smith, 25 Wellington place, Ballsbridge, Dublin. Post entries will be accepted.

CLUB NOTICES AND REPORTS.

ROYAL DUBLIN.

To-day—Moncreeff Cup and scratch medals, 36 holes strokes.

PORTMARNOCK.

St. George's Cup, 36 holes strokes. The first 18 holes will be played for to-day.

MILLTOWN.

To-day—The Scratch Cup, 18 holes strokes. First eight to qualify and play off by heats and holes. Entries close for the Mixed Foursome Cup (Open) on the 4th of May. The Cup will be played for from the 9th to the 14th of May.

Ladies' Branch.—Semi-open foursomes (Scotch) —Won by Mrs. Neary (Milltown) and Mrs. T. Byrne (Newlands) (26½), 74½, 2nd, Miss Birmingham (Milltown) and Miss O'Neil Donnellan (Kingstown) (13½), 78½. Majority Cup—Won by Mrs. Rose; runner-up, Miss Nugent. Monday, 2nd May—Medal, bogey.

ELM PARK.

Monthly Cup—T. Gray (23), 71; E. Young (16), 73; W. J. Webb (18), 73; J. M. Dooley (20), 72. Open Week, Wednesday, 27th, 18 holes strokes; Thursday, 28th, Ladies' Foursomes, stroke; Friday, 29th, Mixed Foursomes, bogey; Saturday, 30th, Fourball v. Bogey. Competitors may play over the course on Monday and Tuesday.

CURRAGH.

April 24th—Fourball sweep; best aggregate. Arrange partners and opponents.

ISLAND.

Saturday, April 30—Semi-Open Mixed Foursome Flag Competition. Post entries; choose opponents. May 7—Men's Competition, by strokes. Post entries; choose opponents.

RATHFARNHAM.

Ladies' Branch—Tuesday, April 26th, Open (Scotch) Foursomes. Draws 10.30 and every half-hour till 5 o'clock. May 3rd—Club Foursomes. May 6th—Prize presented by Miss Fawcett; 18 holes strokes. Choose opponents.

GLENTARF.

To-day (Saturday)—Captain's (Mr. H. W. Young) Prize. First round, 18 holes. Prize for best nett.

Ladies' Branch—Surprise Mixed Foursomes, 12 holes—J. Blake and Mrs. McLochlan, 42; T. Maguire and Mrs. Wilson, 47½.

DELGANY.

To-day—Men's monthly medal, strokes.

COUNTY LOUTH.

Result of Bogey Competition—Mrs. W. B. Parr, 1 up; Mrs. McCan, 2 down.

NEWLANDS.

Ladies' Section.—Wednesday next — Elvery's prize, strokes. Draws 3, 3.30, and from 5.30.

GRANGE.

Mixed foursomes :—H. L. and Mrs. O'Brien (20½), 72½; R. A. and Mrs. Cunningham (20½), 73½; W. and Mrs. Bell (28), 74.

RATHFARNHAM.

To-day—Monthly medal, 18 holes, strokes.

FOXROCK.

April 28—Surprise mixed foursomes, match play, 18 holes. Prizes presented by J. X. Murphy, Esq. Draw for partners. Entries close 6 p.m. to-morrow (Sunday), 24th April.

KILLINEY.

To-day—W. A. Daish's prize, strokes. Best gross and second prize.

MALAHIDE.

To-day—April monthly cup. Saturday, 30th inst.—Mixed foursomes.

DUN LAOGHAIRE (KINGSTOWN).

Wednesday sweepstakes, 20th April—D. Yule (12), 71; G. M. Curtis (14), 72; F. Blake (19), 75. To-day—Scratch Cup.

GRANGE.

To-day—President's Cup, qualifying round, 18 holes, strokes. First four qualify.

HOWTH.

To-day—Butson Cup. First four in each class to qualify by strokes and play off by match play. Last draw 4.15 p.m.

SKERRIES.

To-day—Medal winners' cup, 18 holes, strokes. The following have qualified—J. MacDonnell, E. Montgomery, F. G. Hyder, H. P. Rossiter, E. J. Turley, G. H. Owens, H. A. Stafford, F. J. Dillon.

ROSSES POINT (CO. SLIGO).

Combe Cup, 18 holes, medal play—1st, Gerald O'Connor, Roscommon (6), 70; tie for 2nd—W. Puller (2) and D. K. Smith (24), 74 each. Other scores—Liam Howley (20), 75; A. M. Lyons (24), 76; J. M. Howard (5), 77; J. Mahon (holder) (5), 79; S. W. Kingston (16), 80; Dr. J. Dunne (15), 80; F. C. Hutchinson (12), 81; E. Nally (14), 83; A. Walker (24), 90, Twenty-nine competed.

BOXING.

LEINSTER'S VICTORY.

J. KENNEDY THE ONLY WINNER FROM ULSTER.

LEINSTER easily beat Ulster in the Interprovincial at the Depot, Phœnix Park, winning by 9 fights to 1. Although Kerr and Magill were unable to fight, thus weakening the visiting team, it was an interesting night's boxing, the heavier punching of the Leinster men proving the decisive factor.

An example of what good ringcraft can do was seen in the bantam weight fight between Hughes and McMullan. Any man who lacks a punch stands a very poor chance against the Irish champion, yet McMullan, though rushed to the ropes the whole time, simply tied up his opponent by his exceptionally clever footwork and ability to slip punches, and although too tired almost to stand, much less punch, in the last round, he held off his opponent, who was all the time on the look-out for a knock-out punch. Hughes was even more aggressive than usual; yet under an attack that would have fairly pulverised most bantams, McMullan kept quite cool. At the start of the fourth and sixth rounds the Ulsterman took up the attack, and landed a few nice straight punches, but he was simply worn down in the end. There was no doubt about Hughes's superiority, and the loser was deservedly given a tremendous ovation for a very clever and plucky display.

ROCHE'S WEAKNESS.

The weakness in G. Roche's make-up was shown in his fight with J. McConnell, the Ulster fly-weight ex-champion, who was a scrappy type of boxer, with practically no defence, and unable to punch straight. Nevertheless, Roche showed a lack of aggression, and presented with numerous opportunities when McConnell missed with wild swings, but the Wexford boy failed to make the most of them, and although he was clearly the better man, he was unable to land a decisive punch on an opponent who tired very much in the last couple of rounds. Roche won every round, but was not at his best.

The welter weight provided a great scrap between Pte. Flood and Rfm. Tennyson, in which the latter showed wonderful stamina and courage, for in every one of the six rounds Flood slugged stiff lefts into his face, yet he could not prevent his opponent coming in all the time. Flood boxed very cleverly as well as hitting hard and has seldom been seen to better advantage, yet he took a lot of punishment to the body. Tennyson is exceptionally strong to have taken so much punishment as he did, for Flood would have knocked out the majority of welter-weights after inflicting so much punishment, but the Ulsterman was too unscientific to have a chance of winning. With more accuracy in his punching, he would be a very hard man to beat. He was unlucky in having his eye badly cut in the fifth round.

KENNEDY'S SUCCESS.

Ulster's only winner, Kennedy, a former Imperial Services' champion, fought W. Blackwell, whose opponent, Constable Magill, was unable to take part in the middle-weight contest. The disparity in the weights proved too great for an even fight, and the referee intervened in the third round to save Blackwell punishment. Kennedy carries a terrific punch in his right hand, and put Blackwell down in the first round, but the latter fought back splendidly, only to run into the right again in the third round, and was down twice. Details :—

FLY-WEIGHT.

L. Scally (Corinthians) beat J. Monahan (Corrigan Park) on points.

G. Roche (Wexford) beat J. McConnell (Corrigan Park) on points.

BANTAM-WEIGHT.

P. Hughes (St. Andrews) beat J. McMullan (Corrigan Park) on points.

FEATHER-WEIGHT.

Pte. C. Mooney (Army) beat Fus. Rafferty (Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers) on points.

LIGHT-WEIGHT.

G. Gallagher (Corinthians) k.o. M. McIntyre (Newry) in 2nd round.

P. Kelly (Army) beat R. Markey (Newry) on points.

WELTER-WEIGHT.

Pte. J. Flood (Army) beat Rfm. Tennyson (R.U.R.) on points.

CRUISER-WEIGHT.

R. Hearns (Garda) beat Constable Brown (Belfast Harbour Police) on points.

HEAVY-WEIGHT.

J. Kennedy (Belfast) beat W. Blackwell (Garda) in 3rd round.

ADDITIONAL CONTEST.

C. O'Connor (St. Andrews) beat C. Burke (Ghapelizod) on points.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.

THE ROVERS' TASK.

THEIR CHANCES OF THE TREBLE EVENT.

WINNERS of the Free State Cup and Free State League, Shamrock Rovers are on the high road, so to speak, to accomplishing the "hat trick" by taking the Free State Shield, but although their former visits to Tolka Park have not been attended with the maximum amount of success, there is no reason to expect that against Drumcondra to-morrow they will meet with defeat. Indeed, on their present form they should strengthen their position. The home team, however, is certain to make a fine match of it; in fact, it looks the most attractive of the local fixtures.

Cork and Waterford, who come next to Rovers in the table, but with two more matches played, each are set a difficult task to-morrow—Cork at Bray, and Waterford at home to Dundalk; but here, also, form suggests Southern victories.

To-day Bohemians go to Harold's Cross Park, where they will be fully extended by Dolphin; and another good match is in the offing at Shelbourne Park between the home club and St. James's Gate.

The closing stage of the long-drawn-out struggle for the English Cup will be reached to-day at Wembley, where the Arsenal and Newcastle United will play the final. Favourites for the match, the Arsenal team may not include Alex. James. He has again injured that troublesome left leg, and it is extremely doubtful if he will be fit. He and Hulme went to Brighton yesterday and underwent a most rigorous test.

Nothing appeared to be satisfactory, and the practice had been practically completed when James, in a tussle for the ball, got his leg entangled with that of Whittaker. The player fell to the ground, and an examination revealed a recurrence of the former trouble.

Sir Samuel Hill-Wood, chairman of Arsenal, confirmed the fears that James would not be playing. "I have been in touch with Mr. Chapman," Sir Samuel said, "and I am afraid that it is hopeless to expect James to be in the side to-morrow. This is, indeed, bad luck for us." When asked whether Hulme would take his place in the side, the Arsenal chairman stated: "We shall not know until to-morrow morning whether Hulme is perfectly fit."

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

FREE STATE SHIELD.

Dolphin v. Bohemians. At Harold's Cross.
Shelbourne v. St. James's Gate. At Shelbourne Park.

LEINSTER LEAGUE—DIV. I.

University College v. Rosseville. At Terenure.
Bohemians v. Edenville. At Dalymount Park.
Dublin University v. Bray Unknowns. At Bray.
St. James's Gate v. Drumcondra. At Iveagh Ground.
Ormeau v. Dundalk. At Church road.
Distillery v. Dolphin. At Rutland avenue.

TO-MORROW.

FREE STATE SHIELD.

Drumcondra v. Shamrock Rovers. At Tolka Park.
Brideville v. Jacobs. At Harold's Cross.
Bray Unknowns v. Cork. At Bray.
Waterford v. Dundalk. At Waterford.

FREE STATE LEAGUE.

Dolphin v. St. James's Gate. At Dolphin Park.

TEAMS.

Bohemians—Capt. H. Cannon; F. King, J. McCarthy; M. O'Kane, J. McMahon, J. Kirby; P. Ellis, G. Cullen, C. Ebbs, A. Horlacher, J. White.

Dundalk—Lewis; Johnston, M'Diarmuid; Patton, Harrison, Reed; Kelly, M'Court, Smith, Hirst, Donnelly.

Dolphin—Power; Nisbit, Doyle; Lee, Kelly, Watt; Smith, Stevenson, Shiels, Somers, Paterson.

Dolphin (v. St. James's Gate)—From: Power, Nisbit, Doyle, Robinson; Kelly, Watt, Smith, Somers, Beatty, Lee, Paterson and Reid.

Shamrock Rovers—From McCarthy, Daly, Burke, Glen, Matthews, Kinsella, Byrne, Flood, Moore, McMillan, Smith, Cherri, Caulfield, Fullam.

Note.—Same players are to report at Amiens Street Station on Monday next at 10.30 a.m. sharp for train to Belfast for match with Linfield.

Shelbourne—Sherlin; Lennon, Byrne; Walsh, Duffy, Kendrick; Carroll, Patterson, Jones, Greene, Cameron. Reserves—Moylan, Horan and Gannon.

Drumcondra—From: Pidgeon, Dunne, Moore, Kavanagh, Murray, Thomas, Delaney, Farrell, M'Carery, Crofts, Lowry, Maguire, Sherwin.

St. James's Gate (and v. Dolphin, at Dolphin Park on Sunday)—P. O'Reilly; Hoey, P. Kavanagh; J. Balfe, E. Mackay, R. Murray; W. Kennedy, R. Comerford, H. Simpson, J. Murray, C. Carter.

Bray Unknowns—From Patten, Chalmers, Kelly, Dorward, Preston, Moffatt, Byrne, Comerford, Ledwidge, Buchanan, Hogan, Hannon.

Brideville — Slater, Gaskins, Bermingham, O'Reilly, Roy, Redmond, Fallon, Byrne, Forrest, Reid, Smith.

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FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES

TONE AND COMMENT

DUBLIN QUIET.

LAND BONDS FIRM.

Dublin Stock market was very quiet yesterday. Many of the leading counters were not even mentioned. Free State Funds were well maintained, the Third Loan rising to 93⅞ and Land Bonds to 97¼. 5 per cent. War Loan shot up to 103½.

Banks were firm at last prices. In the Railway section dealings were confined to Pre-Ordinary Stocks. Southern Guaranteed and Debentures both improved, but Northern Debentures fell to 49. Dublin Tram Preference easier and the "B" Debentures stronger.

Guinness units were firm and unchanged at 76s. 4½d., and Power Preference repeated 12s. 6d. Alliance Gas improved to 10½.

The Industrial section was featureless. B.A.T. marked at 75s.

Among local securities, B. and I. Preference fell to 12s. 6d. Dockrell Preference rose to 11s. 9d. Goulding Ordinary fell to 67s. 10½d., do Preference repeated 81s. 6d., and Helys Preference 20s. and Civil Service Building 31. Merchant Warehousing rose 1s. to 38s. 6d.

The weakest spot in the list was Shells, which fell 3s. 1½d. to 31s. 6d.

LONDON FIRMER.

RISE IN PRICES.

Although trading in the London Stock markets generally yesterday remained on small lines, firmer conditions developed in a number of directions, and the margin of price movements returned at the close were favourable to holders. The new tariff proposals were, as a whole, well received, and, although the response was negligible, this was attributed to the lack of public interest. It is hoped, however, that the improvement in trade which should follow the new measures will lead to a gradual return of the investor. A feature was provided by Royal Dutch, which marked a smart recovery following the sharp marking down on Thursday. Other Oils also disclosed a firmer trend. In the "Street" dealings, however, Royal Dutch showed renewed weakness. A firm tone characterised British Funds, and, despite the set-back in sterling, quotations were harder in a number of instances. India Stocks easily maintained the firmer conditions apparent on Thursday, and in one or two directions added a further fraction. Foreign Government Stocks displayed a firmer tone in the early dealings, but subsequently came back again, and at the close movements were of an irregular character. British Rails attracted scanty attention, and, with the exception of Metro. Cons., which closed 2 points firmer on strong buying, movements were of an adverse character. Great Western Ord. lost ½, Midland Ord. ¼, and Southern Pref. Ord. ½, while several of the Pref. issues slipped back further. There was again very little passing among Colonial and Foreign Rails, and the Argentine descriptions weakened afresh. Interest in the Industrial sections remained on extremely modest lines, and price movements were mostly narrow. There were one or two bright features, however, Woolworths and several of the Electrical descriptions hardening. The Trans-Atlantic issues generally displayed a firmer front, but Breweries were uncertain, while Steels finished easier. Tobaccos were quiet, while the Miscellaneous Industrials showed an irregular front. In other directions, Oils, as mentioned above, developed a firmer tendency, but were shaded off again in the "Street." Mines attracted but scanty attention and moved irregularly.

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active Stocks and Shares were "marked" in London yesterday:—

Consols—60 7/16, ⅜, ⅝, 11/16, 9/16. **5 p.c. War Loan**—103, ⅛, 1/16, 3/16, ¼, 5/16, ⅜, 19/32, 21/32. **Funding Loan**—95¾, ½, 11/16, 9/16, 7/16, ⅜, *¾, *1/16, 11/16. **Conversion Loan 3½ p.c.**—84⅝, ⅝, 9/16, 7/16, ½. **4 p.c. Consols**—94⅝, ½. **4½ p.c. Treasury Bonds**—101¼, 9/32, ⅛. **Free State Land Bonds**—97¼, ½, ⅜. **Australia 5 p.c. Stock**—84, 2, 1, 3, 2½. **Aerated Bread**—*20/-, 4½d., 1½d. **African and Eastern**—1/3. **Amalgamated Press**—11/6, 9d., 12/-. **Anglo-Dutch Rubber**—6/3, 1½d. **Assoc. Cement** (x.d.)—24/7½, 4/-, 3d., 6d., 1½d. **Assoc. Newspapers Def.**—16/-, 15/10½. **Bovril Def.**—25/3. **Brazilian Traction**—11⅛, 7/16, ⅝, ⅜, 9/16, 11/16, ½, *⅝. **British-American Tobacco**—75/-, 4/8¼, 10½d., 4½d. **British Match Ord.**—23/-, 1½d., 6d. **British Oil and Cake**—29/4½, 1½d., 6d. **Buenos Ayres Great Southern**—27¼, *6¼, 8, 7½. **Cables and Wireless A**—13¾, *⅜, *½, ½, 14; do. **B**—*8¼, ⅜, ¼; do. **5½ p.c. Pref.**—42⅜, *½, ⅝, ¾, ½, 2. **Canadian Pacific**—17 9/16, ⅝, ½, ¾, ½. **Carreras**—65/-. **Coats**—39/6, 40/-, 1½d. **Courtaulds**—30/11¼, 1/-, 9d., 3d., 6d. **Crystalate Gramophone** (x.d.)—2/5¼, 3¾d. **Cunard Ord.**—5/3, 1½d. "**Daily Mail" Trust**—31/6, 9d., 2/-. "**Daily Mirror" Ord.**—10/-, 1½d., 3d. **Dunlop Ord.**—9/-, 3d.; do. **Plantations**—13/9. **Electric and Musical Ord.**—14/9, 7½d., 4½d.; do. **Pref.**—17/6. **Ford Motors**—21/9, 10½d., 2/-, 4½d. **Gallaher Pref.**—24/-. **General Electric**—37/-, 6/3; do. **Debs.**—102½. **Grand Central Rubber**—4/3. **Great Western Rail**—39, 8¼, ½, 8, ⅞, 7¾, ½; do. **5 p.c. Pref.**—72, 69, ¼, 70. **Greek 7 p.c. Refugee**—39, ¼, 7¾, 40, 38. **Guinness Ord.**—77/-, 1½d., 6/3, 9d., 6d., 6/-. **Harrods Ord.**—51/9, *3d., *50/9, *6d., 1/-. **Highlands Rubber**—8/-, 3d., 7/6. **Hudson's Bay Ord.**—16/10½, 9d., 17/-, 3d., 4½d., 1½d. **Hungarian 7½ p.c., 1924**—36, 8½, 7, ¾. **Imperial Airways**—15/3. **Imperial Chemical Ord.** (x.d.)—15/-, 1½d., 3d., 14/10½; do. **Def.**—3/10½, 9¾d., 4/-. **Imperial Tobacco**—77/9¾, 8/3, 9d., 1½d., 4½d., 8/-. **International Holdings**—3 1/32, 15/16, 1. **International Nickel** (dols.)—8⅝, 7/16, ½, 11/16, 9/16. **Inveresk Paper**—2/6, 4½d. **Lever 7 p.c. Pref.**—23/6, 9d., 7½d., 4½d. **Lister Ord.**—14/3. **London, Midland and Scottish Ord.**—15¾, *16, ⅝, ¼, ⅛, 16, 15⅝, 7/16, ½. **London and N.E. Pref.-Ord.**—*9, ⅜, 8¾, 7/8, 15/16, ⅝, 9; do. **Def.-Ord.**—4½. **Lyons (J.) and Co. Ord.**—*94/4½, 4½d., 3/9, *5/7½. **Maypole Def.**—3/8¼, 7½d., 10½d., 9d. **Metropolitan Rail**—35. **Peruvian Corp. Pref.**—7. **Phillips (Godfrey) Ord.**—13/6. **P. and O. 5 p.c. Def.**—14/4½, 7½d., 6d., 3d., 9d. **Roan Antelope**—6/6, 9d., 4½d. **Rubber Trust**—8/9, 9/. **Selfridge Trust**—10/-, *8/9. **Southern Rail Pref.-Ord.**—27, ½, ¾, ¼; do. **Def.-Ord.**—8⅝, 7⅝. **Sudan Plantations**—23/9, 4/-, 4½d. "**Sunday Pictorial" Ord.**—24/6, 3d. **Swedish Match "B"**—8/-, 4½d., 6d., 7½d., 10½d., 1½d., 9d., 9/-, 7/9. **Tobacco Securities Ord.**—48/3, *6/3, 7/6, 9d., 3d., 6/10½; do. **Def.**—*45/-, 5/-. **United Dairies**—38/9, 3d. **Unilever Ord.**—25/-, 1½d., 3d., 6d., 4/10½, 8¼d., *3d., 5/11¼; do. **N.V.**—24/10½, 5/-, 3¾d., 6d., 10½d. **United Molasses**—*4/9, 10½d., 5/-, 1½d., 3d. **United Serdang Rubber**—11¼d. **Vickers** (x.d.)—7/9, 6d., 7½d., 4½d., 2¼d. **Vine Products**—6/1½. **Watney Combe Def.**—38/9, 6d., 9/-, 3d. **Westminster Bank**—70/-, 3d., 1½d., 69/7½. **Woolworth Ord.**—55/, 4½d., 10½d., 6/-, 3d., 1½d., 5/3, 6d., 6/4½; do. **Pref.**—23/9, 10½d., 7½d., 4/-.

(* Exceptional bargain at special price.)

MOTORS AND TEXTILES.

BIRMINGHAM.

Motor shares again quiet and prices occasionally easier. Some selling of Standards. Dennis lower on reduced dividend. Rolls-Royce stronger.

Austins	26/6	Lucas	59/-
Do. Prefd.	13/3	Rolls	34/4½
Bluemels	15/-	Rovers	2/9
Components	2/3	Singers	6/3
Dennis	15/-	S.T.D.	0/9
Enfields	12/3	Standards	36/3
Fords	21/10½	Triumphs	6/3
Guys	2/1½	Dunlops	9/1½
Humbers	6/9	Rileys	31/-
Leylands	33/9		

MANCHESTER.

Textiles have lost some further ground.

Bleachers, 11/-11/6		Courtaulds, 31-31/6	
Calicos, 7/6-8/-		Dunlops, 9/-9/3	
Dyers, 17/3-17/9		Turner & Newall, 25/-25/3	
Cottons, 25/6-26/6		Dobson & Barlow, 8/6-9/6	
Spinners, 13/6-14/-		Wall Paper Def., 24/9-25/3	
"Slubbers," 3/6-4/-			
Coats, 39/6-40/-			
Velvets, 12/9-13/3			

COMPANY NOTICES.

MASON AND BARRY, LIMITED.
(S. DOMINGOS MINE, PORTUGAL.)

Notice is hereby given that the Fortieth Annual General Meeting of the Members of Mason and Barry, Limited, will be held at Southern House, Cannon street, London, E.C.4, on Wednesday, 4th May, at 12.30 p.m. precisely, for the purpose of receiving the Directors' and Auditors' Reports for the year 1931; approving the general balance sheet at 31st December, 1931; the re-election or appointment of a Director; the appointment of Auditors, and the transaction of general business.

The Holders of Share Warrants to Bearer will be furnished with a Certificate admitting them to the meeting upon their depositing Share Warrants representing not less than ten shares, at the Offices of the Company three days before the day of meeting, together with a notice in writing stating their names and addresses.

The TRANSFER BOOKS will be CLOSED from WEDNESDAY, the 27th APRIL, to WEDNESDAY, the 18th MAY, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board.
PHILIP O'D. GREENE, Secretary.
87 Cannon street, London, E.C.4.,
22nd April, 1932.

MARKETS AT A GLANCE.

Friday Night.

STOCKS AND SHARES:

London firmer.
Dublin quiet.
Manchester Textiles lower.
Birmingham Motors easier.
New York weak.

MONEY:

Bank of England Rate	3	p.c.
Last Year	3	p.c.
Irish Banks' Rate	4	p.c.
Deposits	1½	p.c.
London Day-to-Day Loans	1½	p.c.
London Fine 3-Months' Bills	2-2 1/16	p.c.

THE INDUSTRIAL MARKET.

WOOLWORTHS SUPPORTED.

Although the new tariffs were welcomed by dealers in the Industrial Market yesterday, values did not respond to any material extent owing to the lack of public interest. Trading generally remained on a small scale throughout. Iron and Steel descriptions were marked up at first, but in the absence of additional supporting orders prices became easier.

The trans-Atlantic counters were marked up at the opening, following the overnight improvement in Wall street. There was, however, little doing on this side, and with selling orders arriving from that centre in the late dealings values weakened. Nickels came back from 8½ to 7⅞ and U.S. Steel from 41⅜ to 39.

Cables and Wireless stocks continued uncertain in their movements, though showing little variation on balance.

Iron and Steel descriptions opened firm on the new tariff duties, but values eased eventually in the absence of additional supporting orders.

Motors made a mixed showing. Thomas Tilling strengthened to 55s. 6d., but Austins gave way to 26s. 9d. and Leylands to 33s. 9d.

Breweries remained uncertain in their movements. Supporting orders were received for Barclay Perkins, Guinness and Friary Holroyd, the last-named improving 1s. to 23s. On the other hand, Bass Ratcliff were easier at 51s. 9d. and Courage Ord. at 45s. 6d.

The Tobacco leaders generally had a dull appearance. "Imps" lost the turn at 3 15/16. "Bats" and Carreras "A" closed unchanged, though the "B" shares of the latter came on offer at 8s. 7½d.

Apart from a little inquiry for some of the Pref. issues, Textiles continued out of favour. Sewing Cottons were a weak spot with a loss of 1s. 3d. at 25s. Bleachers gave way to 11s. 3d., and Fine Spinners to 13s. 9d. Bradford Dyers were on offer at 17s. 6d.

Rayons showed no material alteration. Courtaulds were fairly well maintained at around 31s. 4½d., but American Celanese Common declined to 15s.

In the Food and Catering section the Unilever twins had a steadier appearance, and were finally marked 1/16 higher at 1 1/16, but Tate and Lyles were levelled to 40s.

Woolworths were again in receipt of fair support, and, after changing hands above 56s., finished with a further advance of 1s. 6d. at that level.

In the Miscellaneous section Swedish Match "A" rose 2s. 6d. to 7s. 6d. and the "B" 1s. to 9s., following further bear covering operations, while Kreuger "B" were marked a few pence better at 1s. 6d. Manbre and Garton reacted to 27s. 9d. Moderate recessions occurred in British Oil and Cake at 29s. 3d., Dunlops at 9s., Pinchin Johnsons at 24s. 6d., and Turner and Newalls at 24s. 10½d., while United Molasses came on offer in the "street" dealings, and were finally 3d. easier at 4s. 9d.

OIL SHARES ERRATIC.

Although there was again a large turnover in Royal Dutch and Shells, there was less excitement in the Oil Share Market than on Thursday. Following the sharp fall in the late dealings on Thursday, the opening prices of Royal Dutch and Shells showed some recovery, the former being quoted at 11⅛ against 10⅞ and Shells 1 1/16 compared with 1½. According to a report from Amsterdam there was no sound reason for the sharp fall on Thursday, although it was suggested that heavy bear sales both in that centre and in New York, coupled with dividend fears, accounted mainly for the weakness. The recovery made further headway during the day, Amsterdam coming in a buyer of Royal Dutch, operators in that centre paying as much as 11½, and the shares actually touching 11⅜. Similarly Shells improved to 1 11/16. Dealings on Paris account were not of a heavy character, French operators being alternately buyers and sellers. When New York came in late in the day prices became easier again, Royal Dutch in particular being on offer from that centre. The price receded to 10⅞, which left the shares ⅛ up on the day. Shells slipped back to the overnight level of 1½. Elsewhere movements were of little importance.

RUBBER SHARES IDLE.

There was again an almost entire absence of public interest in the Rubber Share market yesterday, and, despite the steady tendency apparent in the commodity section, share values displayed a rather easier appearance. Actual share price movements were few, but those recorded were on balance adverse to holders. A steady tone ensued in the raw material department and a moderate demand was forthcoming. Spot April and May fetched 1 15/16d. per lb., with July to September quoted at 2 1/16d. per lb., and October to December at 2⅛d. per lb. It is expected that London stocks of rubber on Monday next will show a decline of some 300 tons, but Liverpool stocks may be increased by 150 tons.

HIBERNIAN INSURANCE COMPANY.

A dividend of five per cent. per annum, free of income tax, was declared at the twenty-third annual meeting of the Hibernian Fire and General Insurance Company, held at 48 Dame street, Dublin, yesterday.

The Chairman, Mr. D. J. Cogan, stated that never had the business world been faced with such changes and difficulties than in the year under review. In spite of these conditions, the premium income of the company had fallen but slightly, due in part to deliberate pruning in departments. Underwriting became extremely difficult, and risks which in more prosperous times might be contemplated had to be avoided. Net premiums received amounted to £98,666, a decrease of £4,569, not a very serious decrease. The reserves for unexpired risks and outstanding employers' liability claims amounted to £82,185, as against £76,491 at the close of 1930. Following trade depression, loss ratio had slightly increased, being 62.87, as against 60.41. Referring to expenses increases, the Chairman said that competition had become keener, and if they were to maintain their position they must give the public every possible service. Last year, after deducting the dividend, they had a balance in the profit and loss account of £11,399. To this was added net interest received during the year amounting to £6,494, and other items, making a total of £18,131.

VALUE OF INVESTMENTS.

The balance now in the profit and loss account, after making deductions for income tax and loss on the revenue accounts, was £11,499, and if £2,000 were deducted for payment of dividends, the balance left would be £9,499. The directors thought it prudent to have the general investments brought into the balance sheet at the market value, instead of at cost as heretofore. To accomplish this £8,566 had been taken from the investment reserve fund, now standing at £4,951. The Chairman was happy to say that had these investments been re-valued at the end of the first quarter of the year, they should have had to transfer only £4,44[illegible] instead of £8,566. This improvement, it was hoped, would continue. Total reserves came to £129,636, as against £134,409 last year. If the investment reserve fund had not been reduced the figure would have been £138 2[illegible] — a satisfactory state of affairs.

Concluding, the Chairman said that the Irish public could still recognise that in entrusting their business to the Hibernian company they were on safe ground. The funds were invested in Irish securities. The company pinned its faith on Ireland's prosperity.

Mr. J. J. Murphy was re-elected a director, and Mr. Lorcan Sherlock elected a director. Messrs. Kean and Co. were re-elected auditors, and thanks were passed to the staff.

LATEST CLOSING AND STREET PRICES.

BRITISH FUNDS, ETC.

—	Closing.		Rise or fall
Consols 2½%	80½	80¾	+1/16
Do. 4%	94⅝	94⅞	
War Loan 4½%	101½	102½	
Do. 5%	103¼	103¾	
Funding Loan	96½	96¾	+3/16
Victory Bonds	98⅛	98⅜	−1/16
3½% Conversion Loan	84⅝	84⅞	+⅛
4½% Conversion Loan	102 11/16	102 13/16	
5% Conversion Loan	106 5/16	106 9/16	+1/16
Irish Free State 4½% Land Bonds	96	98	
India 3%	56	58	+½
Do. 3½%	65	67	+½
Do. 4½%	88	90*	
Do. 5½%	100	101	
Local Loans	70 5/16	70 9/16	
Sudan 5½%	107	109*	

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Australian Com. 5 p.c.	82	87	
Do. do. 6 p.c.	90	95	
British Columbia 4½ p.c., 1941	92	95*	
Canada 4 p.c., 1940-60	92	95	
Cape 3½ p.c. Cons.	81	84	
Ceylon 6 p.c.	105	107	
N.S.W. 5 p.c., 1945-65	60	70	
Do. 6½ p.c., 1930-40	77	87	
New Zealand 6 p.c., 1936-51	99	103	
Do. 5 p.c., 1946	98	100	
Nigeria 6 p.c.	107	109	
Queensland 5 p.c., 1940-50	76	80	−2
South African 5 p.c., 1933-43	99½	101½	
South Australian 5 p.c., 1932-42	80	90	
Do. 4 p.c., 1940-60	65	70	
Victoria 5 p.c., 1932-42	75	80	
Do. 5 p.c., 1945-75	81	84	
Western Australian 5 p.c., 1945-75	81	85	
Do. 6 p.c., 1930-40	89	94	

BANKS.

Anglo-South American	⅝	⅞	
Bank of Australasia	7¾	8¼	
Bank of England	271	275	
Bank of Montreal	41	46	
Bank of New South Wales	20	22	
Bank of New Zealand	1⅝	2⅛	
Barclay's "A" Shares	8	8½	
British Overseas	4¼	4¾	
Canadian of Commerce	35	40	
Chartered of India	10½	11½	
Hong Kong and Shanghai	100	104	
Lloyds	48/0	50/0	+0/6
Midland	7⅝	7⅞	
National Discount "B"	9¼	10¼	
National Provincial (£4 pd.)	11⅜	12⅛	
Royal of Canada	35	40	
Standard of South Africa	8¼	10¼	−¼
Union of Australia	5	5½	
Westminster Bank (£1)	69/0	71/0	

FOREIGN BONDS.
M.U.—April 18.

M.U.				
98½	Austrian 6 p.c. Guar.	91½	92½	−½
106	Belgian 7 p.c.	105½	106½	−½
38	Brazil 6½ p.c. S. Bds. '27	34½	35½	+½
77	Do. 5 p.c. Fund, 1898	72½	73½	−1
61	Do. 5 p.c. do., 1914	57	58	−1½
88½	Chinese 4½ p.c., 1898	85½	86½	+¼
36	Do. 5 p.c., 1912	34	35	−½
59½	Do. 5 p.c. Reorg. 1913	58½	59½	+¾
71	Chinese Imp. Ry. 5% Gold	69	71	
34	Do. Shanghai-Nanking 5 p.c.	31	36	
9	Do. Tientsin Pukow 5 p.c.	6	12	
89	Czecho-Slovakia Bonds	90	92	
87	Egyptian Unified	86½	87½	
26¾	French Loan 5 p.c.	26¾	27	+⅝
24½	Do. 4 p.c.	24½	24¾	+¼
68	German 7 p.c.	66½	67½	+¼
40	Greek 7 p.c.	39	41	
24½	Italian Rentes	23½	23½	
79	Japan 6 p.c., 1924	76½	77½	−¼
8	Mexican 5 p.c., '99	6	9	−1
10	Do. 6 p.c. 10-Y. Treas.	7	11	−1½
—	Peru Internal 7 p.c.	28	32	
2¼	Peruvian Corporation	1¾	2¼	
7	Do. Pref.	6	7	
37	Do. Deb.	36	38	
69	Poland 7 p.c. Sterling	63½	64½	
45	Portuguese 3 p.c.	44½	45½*	
—	Spanish 4 p.c.	44	49*	
5¾	Turkish Unified	5½	6½	

BRITISH RAILS.

M.U.				
39	Great Western	37½	38½	−½
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	71	74	
15¾	Ldn., Mid. & Scot. Ord.	15½	16	−¼
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	39	41	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref.	64	67	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref., 1923	28½	30½	−½
8¾	Ldn. North-East. 5 p.c. Pref. Ord.	8¾	9¼	
4⅝	Do. Def. Ord.	4⅛	4⅝	−⅛
—	Do. 4 p.c. 1st Pref.	33	35	
—	Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref.	17	19	
32	Metropolitan	34	36	+2
51	Do. District	51	53	
30½	Southern Pref. Ord.	28½	28½	−½
8¾	Do. Def. Ord.	8	8½	−¼
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	54	57	−1
17/9	Underground Elec. (£1)	17/7½	18/1½	
—	Do. Income Bonds	100	105	

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

M.U.				
11	Antofagasta Ord.	10	12	
—	Argentine G.W. Ord.	17	21	
—	Bahia Blanca Guar. Stk.	60	62	
28	Buenos Ayres Gt. Sthn.	26½	28½	
18½	Buenos Ayres & Pacific	16	18	−1
22½	Buenos Ayres and W.	20	22	−1
—	Canadian National Guar.	70	73	
17¼	Canadian Pacific ($25)	17	19	
28	Central Argentine	28	28	−½
18	Do. Def.	15	18	
10	Central Uruguay Ord.	8	11	
3	Cordoba Central	2½	4½	
7	Do. 1st Pref.	6	8	
4	Do. 2nd Pref.	3	5	
17	Entre Rios	15	19	
—	Do. 6 p.c. Cum. Pref.	40	45	
—	Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Guar.	80	83	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Deb.	79	82	−1
—	Internl. of Cent. America	4	6	
13	Leopoldina	11½	13½	
20/0	Mexican Rails	½	1½	
50/0	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	1½	2½	
30/0	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	1	2	
105	San Paulo Ord.	102	107	−1
2½	United Havana	2	4	

AMERICAN RAILS.

M.U.				
—	Atchison	62	67	+4
—	Chicago Milwaukee New	1½	2½	−½
6½	Erie	5	10	
—	Do. 1st Pref.	6	11	
—	New York Central	27	32	+2
—	New York Ontario	8	11	
—	Pennsylvania	17	22	+2
7½	Southern Common	7	12	+2
—	Southern Pacific	18	23	+1
70	Union Pacific	73	78	+3

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

M.U.				
22/0	Allsopp £1 Shares	19/0	21/0	
54/6	Bass, Ratcliff Ord.	51/0	52/6	−0/3
1/9	Brewers of Vancouver	1/3	1/9	
50/9	City of London Def. (5/-)	5/6	6/6	
44/0	Courage Ord.	40/0	42/6	
46/3	Distillers Ord.	45/0	46/0	−0/6
80/0	Guinness Ord. (£1 units)	76/0	78/0	−0/4
44/0	Hoare and Co.	40/0	42/0	+0/3
51/0	Ind Coope Ord.	46/9	48/9	
46/6	South African Breweries	44/0	46/0	
—	Walker (John) Pref.	22/6	23/6	
43/0	Watney Combe Def.	38/3	39/6	

ELECTRIC SUPPLY.

M.U.				
—	Bournemouth and Poole	60/0	62/0*	
31/9	Charing Cross	28/0	30/0†	
38/3	City of London	37/3	38/3	
44/3	County of London	43/3	44/3*	
—	Electric Supply Corp.	47/6	48/6	
—	Lancashire Electric	26/0	27/0*	
28/3	London Electric	27/0	28/0*	
41/7½	Metropolitan	40/9	41/9	
23/3	Newcastle	22/9	23/9	
28/3	St. James's	29/6	31/6	
—	South London	27/0	29/0*	
28/0	Westminster Electric	27/6	28/6	
—	Whitehall Inv. Pref.	18/0	18/0	−0/6

INSURANCE.

M.U.				
—	Alliance £20 (£2 4/- p.)	18¼	19¼	
—	Atlas £5 (£1 5/- paid)	10½	11*	
—	Com. Un. (£2½ paid)	19¼	20¼	
—	Eagle Star Ord. £3	9¾	10¾*	
—	Employers' £1 (5/- paid)	2⅛	2⅜	
—	Gen. Accdt. £5 (£1¼ p.)	13¼	14¼	
—	Guardian £3	9¼	10¼	
—	L. & Lan. Fire £5 (£1 p)	24½	25½	+¼
—	Lon. Ass. £2½ (£1¼ p.)	8⅜	8⅞	
—	N.B. & Mer. £5 (£1¼ p.)	29½	30½	
—	Northern £10 (£1 paid)	15	16	
—	Phœnix £10 (£1 paid)	11½	12½	
—	Do. £1 (f.p.)	12½	13½	
—	Prudential	21	22	
—	Do. "B" £1 (4/- pd.)	1⅞	2	
—	Royal Exchange	5⅝	6⅛	
—	Royal Ins £1 (10/- pd.)	7	7½	
—	Sun Ins. £10	3 1/16	3 5/16	
—	Sun Life	5	5½	
—	Yorkshire 50/- (10/- pd.)	6	6½	

IRON, COAL AND STEEL.

M.U.				
2/10½	Amal. Anthracite	2/0	2/9	−0/3
44/3	Babcox. Wilcox Ord.	44/0	45/0	−0/6
2/9	Baldwins	2/6	3/0	−0/1½
1/6	Brown (John)	1/3	1/9	
4/6	Bucll Combustion	3/16	5/16	
0/3	Cammell Laird	0/6	1/3	
5/0	Cory (William)	54/6	55/6	
3/9	Dorman Long	3/4½	3/10½	
14/0	Guest Keen	13/9	14/9	−0/1½
1/7½	Pease and Partners	1/6	2/0	−0/0
23/6	South Durham Steel	23/3	24/3	
14/3	Stewarts & Lloyds Def.	14/6	15/3	−0/3
7/6	Vickers Ord.	7/0	7/6*	+0/1½

LAND AND INVESTMENT.

M.U.				
11/16	Argentine Land Invest.	½	¾	
11/3	Do. Southern Land	½	⅝	
—	City San Paulo Impts.	2/6	3/6	
—	Commodity Share Deposit Certs.		38¼	
6/0	Forestal Land	5/3	6/0	−1
17/6	Hudson's Bay Ord.	16/6	17/6	
¾	Hyderabad Deccan	¾	⅞	
—	Internat. Invest. Certs.		46	
2/6	Pekin Syndicate	1/9	2/9	−½
1 9/32	Sudan Plantations	1 3/16	1¼	

NEWSPAPERS.

M.U.				
16/3	Assd. Newspapers Def.	15/1½	16/4½	−0/1½
10/3	Allied News Ord.	10/3	10/9	
—	Amal. Press (New)	11/3	12/3	
32/6	Daily Mail Trust	31/6	32/6	−0/3
10/6	Daily Mirror Ord.	10/0	10/6	
—	Financial Newspapers	⅛	⅜	
1 5/32	Sunday Pictorial	1 3/16	1¼	

NITRATES.

M.U.				
4½	Cosach 7 p.c. Ster. Bds.	35	43	
—	Cosach "B" Ord.	0/6	1/6	
11/3	Lautaro Nitrate 7 p.c. Pref. (£5)	9/0	11/0	

OILS.
M.U.—April 18.

M.U.				
—	Anglo-American	3¼	4¼	
6/9	Anglo-Ecuadorian	5/7½	6/1½	
1 5/32	Anglo-Egyptian "B"	1 1/16	1 3/16	−1/32
1 3/32	Anglo-Persian Ord.	1½	1⅝	
24/6	Do. 8 p.c. 1st Pref.	23/9	25/6	+0/1½
23/10½	Do. 9 p.c. 2nd Pref.	23/9	24/3	
10/0	Apex Trinidad (5/ shares)	9/3	9/9	−0/1½
1 7/32	Attock	1 1/32	1 5/32	−1/32
3/10½	British Borneo Pet. (10/)	3/6	4/0	
3/6	British Burmah (8/)	3/3	4/3	
2/7½	British Controlled	0/10½	1/4	
2/0	Do. Pref.	1/7½	1/10½	−0/1½
2 7/32	Burmah	1 29/32	2 1/32	−1/32
26/0	Do. 8 p.c. Pref	25/9	26/3*	+0/4½
5/10½	Canadian Eagle Ord.	5/0	5/3	−0/1½
9/3	Do. 7 p.c. 1st Pref. ($5)	8/4½	9/10½	
7/3	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	6/6	7/6	
1/6	Kern River (10)	1/3	1/9	
1 3/16	Lobitos			−1/16
6/3	Mexican Eagle Ord.	5/7½	5/10½	
6/3	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	5/3	6/3	
6/9	Do. 7 p.c. 1st Pref. (4 pesos)	6/4½	6/10½	
0/3	North Caucasian (10/)	0/1½	0/6	
—	Pan-American "B"	39	40	
3/6	Phoenix Oil	3/1½	3/7½	
1/9	Do. 1/ shares	1/4½	1/7½	
13½	Royal Dutch	10½	10⅞	+⅛
1 13/32	Shell Transport	1 15/32	1 17/32	
9¼	Do. 5 p.c. Pref. (£10)	9½	10	
21/10½	Do. 7 p.c. Pref	20/10½	21/4½	−0/3
4/6	Steaua Romana	4/1½	4/7½	−0/1½
2/7½	Tankers Pref.	2/3	2/9	
1/6	Trinidad Central	1/0	2/0	
1 9/32	Trinidad Leasehold	1 7/32	1 9/32	+1/32
1 1/16	V.O.C. Holdings	1 1/32	1 3/32	+1/32
1 1/16	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	31/32	1 1/32	+1/32

RUBBERS.

M.U.			
6/0	Anglo-Dutch	6/4½	
0/2¼	Anglo-Java	0/2	
3/9	Anglo-Malay	3/9	
0/7½	Bukit Mertajam	0/9	
0/1½	Bukit Sembawang	0/1½	
3/9	Grand Central	4/3	
1/32	Highlands	8/3	+0/3
3/9	Jugra Land	3/9	−0/6
1 1/16	Kuala Lumpur	15/0	
7/32	Linggi	4/6	
1/0	London Asiatic	1/0	
5/16	Malacca	5/7½	
6/3	Malayalam	6/4½	
0/4½	Merlimau	8/4½	
0/3	Rubber Trust	8/4½	
3/16	Tandjong	3/9	
6/10½	Tandjong Malim	7/0	
—	United Sua Betong	17/0	
3/9	Vallambrosa	4/0	+0/3

Allagar	0/4½		Laras Deb	15*	
Batu Tiga	5/0		Ledbury	5/16	
Bernam Per'k	0/4½		Manch'r N.B.	2/6	
Brit L.G. Trst	15½		N. Hayoop	0/6¾	
Do. Pref	5½		N. Hummock	3/9	
Broome Sel	⅛		P.P.K. (C'y'n)	3/16	
Chersonese	1/0‡		Pataling	11/32	
Cicely	0/11¼		Perak (2/)	0/6	
Eastern Trst.	7/6		Rim Malacca	0/6	
F.M.S. Plant.	10/0	−1/3	Selonak	5/0	
Gen. Ceylon	5/16		Serdang C'ntl	1/10½	
Glenbervie	1/3		Soember Ajoe	0/6	
Golden Hope	3/8		Sungei K'par	0/6	
Java Amal.	5/0		Sungei Sipul	0/3	
Kamuning	1/0		Taiping	0/3	
Kepitigalla	0/3		Telogoredjo	1/6	+0/3
Kuala Sel	0/9		Yam Seng	0/3	
Laras	0/2				

REFRESHMENT AND FOOD.

M.U.				
20/6	Aerated Bread	20/0	21/0	
26/3	Bovril Def.	1 7/32	1 9/32	
0/9	Crosse & Blackwell	0/7½	0/10½	
14/10½	Home & Colonial (4/-)	14/7½	14/10½	
26/0	Inter. Tea Ord. (5/-)	25/6	25/9	
13 3	Lovell & Christmas	7/6		
4 15/16	Lyons (J.)	4 11/16	4 13/16	
3/9	Mackintosh (J.) Pref.	1 7/32	1 9/32	
21/3	Maypole Def.	3/7½	3/10½	
—	Scribbans	12/1½	12/7½	+0/1½
—	Do. Def.	1/6	1/9	−0/1½
23/0	Schweppes Ord.	1⅛	1¼	
—	Smithfield Arg. Meat	3/16	5/16	

SHIPPING.

M.U.				
—	Cairn Line	2/0	4/0	
—	Canard Ord.	5/3	5/9	
—	Elder-Dempster 6% Pref	0/6	2/6	
—	Furness Withy			
—	P. and O. Def. (£1)	14/9	15/9	−0/6
—	Royal Mail Ord.	14/0	15/0	
—	White Star 6½% Pref.	1	6	
		1/6	2/6	

TEXTILES AND ARTSILKS.

M.U.				
0/6	Amalgamated Cotton	0/4½	0/7½	
12/0	Bleachers	10/9	11/9	−0/6
18/0	Bradford Dyers	17/0	18/0	−0/1½
7/0	British Celanese Ord.	6/9	7/9	
7/3	Do. Pref.	6/0	7/0	
7/9	Calico Printers	7/6	8/3	
1 1/16	Canadian Celanese	⅞	1⅛	
40/3	Coats	39/9	40/9	
1 7/16	Courtaulds	31/0	31/9	
14/9	Fine Spinners	13/3	14/3	−0/3
—	Linen Thread Ord.	1 1/32	1⅛	
14/9	Lister Ord.	13/9	14/9	
2	Snia Viscosa	1¾	1 15/16	

TEAS.

Amal. Estates	7½		Imperial	9/16	
Assam Co	23/32	−1/32	Jetinga Valley	15/16	
Assam Consol	5/32	−1/32	Jhanzie	15/16	
Assam Front'r	15/32	−1/32	Jokai	1½	
Bor'want'lawa	3 1/16		Jorehaut	1¾	−1/16
Borelli	1 5/16		Kanan Devan	23	
Brahmapootra	16½		Lebong	3⅛	
Brit. Indian	1 5/16		Lungla	5/16	
Budla Beta	2⅛		Makum	15/16	
Ceylon Plant.	2 13/16	−1/16	Mosbund	2	
Ceylon Prop.	1¼		Nedeem	¾	
Chargola	5/16		New Dimbula	4½	
Chubwa	1⅛		Nuwara Eliya	5 1/16	
Chulsa	1⅛		Ouvah	2⅛	
Co. Tea & L.	7½		Peacock & Nil.	1/0	
Darjeeling Co.	1 5/16	−⅛	Pabbojan	3	
Do. Consol.	2 5/16	−1/16	Pundaloya	2⅝	
Deundi	5/16		Rosehaugh Ce.	¾	
Dimbula Val.	2¼		Scottish Assam	2*	
Dooars	1⅛		Scot. T. & La.	1⅞*	−1/16
Doom Dooma	2⅛	−1/16	Singlo	15/16	
E. Assam	1⅝	−1/16	Sumatra	7/32	
East Produce	2		Travancore	1⅛	
Empire	⅞		Up. Assam	1 1/16	
Galaha Ceylon	1⅝				

TELEGRAPHS, TELEPHONES, WIRELESS

M.U.				
23	Anglo-American Def.	22½	24½	
45	Cables & Wireless 5½% Pf	41	43	
15	Do. 7½% "A" Ord.	12½	14½	−¼
9	Do. "B" Ord.	8	9	
1 9/32	Marconi Marine	1 5/32	1 7/32	
6/0	Do. Canada	3/16	5/16	
—	Oriental Telephone	2 1/16	2 5/16	
7¼	Radio Corporation	7¼	7½	+⅛
6½	Do. Pref.	5½	7½	

MISCELLANEOUS INDUSTRIALS.

M.U.				
1/3	African and East. Trade	1/0	1/6	
25/9	Associated Cement	23/6	24/6	−0/6
18/0	Associated Electric Ind.	18/6	19/6	+0/3
3/0	Baird Television Pf. Ord.	2/10½	3/1½	
7/16	Borax Con. Def.	7/6	8/6	
11⅝	Brazilian Traction	11⅛	11⅜	−1/16
3¾	British-American Tobacco	3 11/16	3 15/16	
23/9	British Aluminium	23/0	24/3	
4/3	British Inter. Pict. (5/-)	3/9	4/3	
23/6	British Match	22/6	23/6	
2¼	British Portland Cement	2 1/32	2 3/32	
28/6	British Oil and Cake	28/9	29/9	−0/3
37/0	Callenders Cable	54/0	56/0	
—	Canadian Car	4½	6½	
3¼	Carreras	3⅜	3⅝	
—	Crittal's Manufacturing	7/0	8/0	
2/4½	Crystalate Gramo. Ord.	2/3	2/6*	
9/7½	Dunlop Rubber	8/9	9/3	−0/1½
14/6	Electric and Musical	14/1½	14/4½	−0/1½
18/6	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	17/0	18/0	
—	Enfield Cable	3 5/16	3 7/16	
24/3	Ever Ready	24/6	25/0	+0/6
22/6	Ford Motor	21/3	22/3	
—	Gallaher Ord.	1⅞	2*	
37/0	General Electric Ord.	36/3	37/3	+0/3
—	Harland Wolff Pref.	1/6	2/6	
52/9	Harrod's Stores	51/0	53/0	
6/3	Harrod's (B.A.)	4/6	5/3	
5¼	Henley's Telegraph	5 5/16	5 9/16	
—	Imperial Airways	15/3	15/9	
3 15/16	Imperial Tobacco Ord.	3⅞	3 15/16	−1/32
75/0	Do. Canada	34/0	35/0	
15/3	Imp. Chem. Indus. Ord.	14/10½	15/1½*	+0/1½
3/10½	Do. Def.	3/10½	4/1½	+0/1½
1	Internl. Holdings Ord.	15/16	1 1/16	
8	International Nickels	7 13/16	7 15/16	−¼
19/3	Johnson and Phillips	18/9	19/9	
2/0	Kreuger and Toll	1/0	2/0	+0/3
23/1½	Lever 7 p.c. Pref.	23/4½	23/10½	+0/1½
3/6	Napier Ord. (5/-)	3/3	3/9	
—	North American Co.	28	33	
0/1½	Parent Trust Def.	—	1/0	
3/0	Platt Bros. Ord.	2/6	3/0	
—	Reckitt Ord.	3 27/32	3 31/32	
7/6	Ronco	5/16	7/16	
1 5/16	Salt Union	1 9/32	1 11/32*	
—	San Paulo Tram. Deb.	68	73	−2
16½	Shawinigan Water Com.	14	16	−1
7/16	Swedish Match B	8/6	9/6	+1/0
—	Tate and Lyle	39/9	40/3	−0/3
0/7½	Taylor Cash Chem. Def	0/6	1/0	
—	Tilling Ord.	55/0	56/0	+0/9
—	Tobacco Trust Ord.	2 5/16	2 7/16	
—	Do. Def.	2 5/16	2 7/16	
31/3	Triplex Glass	30/3	31/0	−0/7½
1 1/32	Unilever Ord.	1¼	1 5/16	+1/32
1 1/32	Do. (N.V.)	1¼	1 5/16	+1/32
6/6	United Molasses	4/6	5/0	−0/3
6/3	Vine Products Ord. 5/- Sh.	6/0	6/6	
3/9	Vocalion Gramophone	3/4½	3/10½	
25/9	Wallpaper Def.	24/6	25/6	
—	Wiggins Teape Ord.	25/6	26/6	
54/0	Woolworth Ord.	55/6	56/6	+1/6
23/6	Do. Pref.	23/0	24/0	

* Ex div. † Ex rights. ‡ Cum. div. ‖ Ex bonus.

LONDON "STREET" MARKET.

Oil shares were again a weak feature in the "Street" following adverse advices from Wall street. Royal Dutch were offered at the close at 10¾, against the official closing price of 11⅛, while Shells were on offer at 1½. Weakness was also noticeable in the trans-Atlantic specialities. U.S. Steels weakened to 39½, while Nickels and Canadian Pacifics were lowered to 8 and 16⅞, respectively. Tractions declined to 11 1/16 and Radios to 7¼.

PRICES OF RECENT ISSUES.

Agricultural Mortgage—3¼-¼ prem.
Bristol—⅛-⅜ prem.
Central Electric—7¼-¾ prem.
Croydon—6¼-¾ prem.
District—6-¼ prem.
Lyons New Pref.—26/9-7/3.
London Home Counties Elect.—1¼-¾ prem.
Metropolitan New—3¼-¾ prem.
New Zealand—1-¼ dis.
Nyasaland 4½ p.c.—4½-5½ prem.

OIL PRODUCTION.

Mexican Eagle Oil—Production for the week ended 16th April, 1932—248,000 barrels.

INSURANCE SHARES.

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON.—Atlas (x.d.), 10¾; Commercial Union, 19 13/16, 20 1/16; Eagle Star Ord., 10; General Accident, 13 7/16, ⅜; Guardian, 10; London and Lancashire Fire, 25, 15/16, ¼; London Assurance, 8 11/16; N.B. and Mercantile, 30⅛, £30 2/3; Northern, 15⅜, 5/16, ¼, 5/8; Phœnix, 12, 11 15/16; do. (£1 f.p.), 13 5/16, ⅜; Prudential, 22, 15/16, ⅞; Royal Exchange, 5 15/16, ⅞, £5 19/9; Royal Insurance, 7 5/16.

BUSINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL.—Employers' Liability, 44/6; London and Lancashire, 24⅞, 25⅛, 5; North British, 30⅛; Northern Assurance, 15 7/16; Royal Insurance, 7¼; Yorkshire Insurance, 13 5/16.

LONDON MINING MARKET SLOW.

PRICES MOVE WITHIN NARROW RANGE.

The Mining market yesterday was uninteresting in the extreme. Business in nearly all departments was on a very small scale, and few movements occurred, although the market continued in a sensitive state. The Cape was cabled as being steady, but, with business non-existent, Paris took no interest in Kaffirs either way, and as a result less than a dozen alterations occurred. The price of Copper reacted to £30 1s. 3d. per ton. Chartered sagged further, but a buyer came forward for Zams, and the market being short of shares, the price improved appreciably. Paris sold Tintos at first, but bought them back later in the day. They finished 5s. up. A partial reaction occurred in the price of Tin to £112. Petaling made a belated response to the recent interim dividend announcement, and Pengkalen improved. Otherwise the Westralians were outstanding, principally through the idleness prevailing elsewhere. The Commonwealth particularly favoured Sons of Gwalia, and the shares strengthened again.

SOUTH AFRICAN.
M.U. April 18.

M.U.			
9/0	Afric & Eur	8/3-9/3	
5/6	Ang-A. Corp	5/3-6/0	
7/16	Anglo-Fr'ch.	⅜-7/16	
3 7/16	Brakpan	3 5/16-3 7/16	
7½	Cent. Mining	7½-8	
5/6	City Deep	5/0-5/6	
20/0	Con. Goldf'ds	15/16-1	
1	Cons. M.Reef	19/6-20/0	−0/3
4/6	Con. M Sel.	4/0-5/0	
4 15/16	Crown Mines	4 29/32-4 31/32	
2⅝	Daggafont'n	2 19/32-2 21/32	
18/0	Durban Deep	18/0-18/6	
2¾	East Geduld	2 25/32-2 27/32	+1/32
13/0	E.RandProp	12/6-12/9	−0/3
3⅞	Geduld	3⅞-4	
10/0	Gelden Deep	9/6-10/0	−0/3
¾	Gen. Mining	23/32-25/32	
1⅝	Govt. M. (5/)	1 19/32-1 21/32	
1 1/16	Grootvlei	1-1⅛	
20/3	Johan Invsts	19/9-20/9	
5/3	Kleinfontein	5/3-5/9	
7/6	Knight's	7/0-8/0	
19/6	LanglaagteE	18/9-19/9	
1⅝	Meyer & Char	1 11/32-1 15/32	
2 5/16	Modderfontn	2 5/16-2⅜	
9/9	Modder B.	9/3-10/3	
27/32	Modder Deep	16/0-17/0	
1⅝	Modder East	1⅝-1¾	
2/16	New S. Areas	2 13/32-2 15/32	
¼	Nigel	3/16-5/16	
13/0	Nourse	14/6-15/0	
1/3	Oceana Con.	0/1½-0/4½	
3 1/32	Rand Mines	3-3⅛	
25/9	Randfontein	25/9-26/0	−0/1½
9/0	Robin DeepB	8/10½-9/1½	
6/0	Rose Deep	5/9-6/3	
3/6	Simmer & J.	3/4½-3/7½	
5/0	S.A. Towns.	4/6-5/0	
3 7/16	Springs	3⅜-3 7/16	
¾	Sth.-W. Af.	¾ 13/16	
3 25/32	Sub Nigel	3¾-3 13/16	
3¼	Trans.Del.B.	3⅛-3⅜	
15/16	Trans. Con.L	⅞-1	
2 15/32	Union Corp	2 13/32-2 17/32	
10/6	Van Ryn	10/0-11/0	
31/32	Do. Deep	31/32-1 1/32	+1/32
1	Vereeniging	15/16-1 1/16	
2/6	Village Deep	2/3 2/9	
11/9	West R. Con	11/4½-11/7½	−0/1½
11/6	West Springs	11/6-12/0	
5/6	Wit. Deep	5/9 6/9	

RHODESIAN.
M.U. April 18.

M.U.			
4/3	BechuanaEx	4/0-4/6	
2/6	B. M'Kubwa	2/6-2/9	−0/1½
1 15/32	Cam & Motor	1½-1 9/16	
17/9	Char. B.S.A.	16/9-17/0	−0/1½
15/9	Globe & Phœ	13/6-14/0*	+0/1½
3/0	GoldF.Rhod	2/9-3/0	
1/6	Loangwa	1/3-1/6	
23/32	Lonely Reef.	11/16-13/16	
1¼	Rezende	1 3/16-1 5/16	
½	Rhod Katanga	7/16-9/16	
2¾	Rhokana Corp.	2⅞-3⅛	
6/4½	Roan Antel(5/)	6/3-6/9	
1/7½	Selukwe (2/6)	1/3-1/9	
11/16	Sherw'd Star	21/32-23/32	
13/16	Tangan. Con	¾-13/16	
2 21/32	Vic.FallsOrd	2 15/16-3	
34/0	Do. Pref.	1 11/16-1¾	
⅝	Wankie Col.	9/16-11/16	
17/32	Zamb Expl.	9/16-⅝	+1/16

DIAMOND.

M.U.			
8/9	Angola Dia.	8/3-9/3	
1/9	Cn.D.S.W.A	1/16-⅛	
2⅝	DeBeersDef	2⅝-2⅞	
4	Do. Pref.	3⅞-4⅛	
11/16	Jagersf'tein	⅝-¾	
1/6	N. Val.River	1/16-3/16	
1	Premier Pref	¾-1¼	
2/9	West African	2/6 3/0	

AUSTRALIAN.

M.U.			
5/6	Amal. Zinc	4/9 5/9*	
12/0	B. Hill Prop	11/6-12/6	
1⅝	Do. South.	1 9/16-1 11/16	
13/16	Elec.Zinc Pf.	¾-⅞	
9/9	Lake V. Star	9/6-10/0	
25/32	Lake V Inv.	11/16-15/16	
8/0	Mount Isa	7/6-8/6	
2⅝	Nth. Bn.Hill	2 5/16-2 7/16	
15/0	Sth. Kalgurli	14/9-15/9	
7/3	Sulphide Ord	6/9-7/9	
9/0	Do. Pref.	8/6 9/6	
18/0	Wiluna Gold	18/3-19/3	+0/3
20/0	Zinc Ord (10)	1 5/16-1 1/16	
2⅝	Do. Pref.	2½-2¾	

WEST AFRICAN.

M.U.			
27/0	Ashanti(4/)	27/6-28/6	
6/3	Fanti Cons	5/3-6/3	

TIN.
M.U. April 18.

M.U.			
2/3	Anglo-C.(10/)	2/0-2/6	
5/6	Anglo-Orient	4/9-5/9	
8/0	Do Pref	6/9-7/9	−0/3
11/32	Aramayo	13/32-15/32	
3/4½	Associa'd Tin	3/0-3/6	
3/9	Bisichi	3/3-3/9	
1½	Gopeng	1 9/16-1⅝*	
12/0	Ipoh	11/6-12/6	
7/16	Kaduna Synd	5/16-7/16	
3/9	Kamunting	3/6-4/0	
18/9	Kram'tPulai	29/32-31/32	
8/7½	London Tin.	7/9-8/3	−0/6
14/6	Malayan T.D	14/0-15/0	−0/3
11/32	Naraguta	¼-⅜	
3/3	Pahang 5/	3/0-3/6	
5/0	Rambutan	¼-⅜	
9/16	Renong	11/6-12/6	−0/6
5/6	Siamese	5/0-6/0	
3/6	Tavoy (4/)	3/3-3/9	
12/9	Tronoh (5/)	12/3-13/3	

COPPER.

M.U.			
5/0	Messina	4/6 5/6	
15/9	Mount Lyell	15/6-16/6	
3/0	Namaqua	3/0-4/0	
13¼	RioTinto(£5)	13-13½	+¼
2⅜	Tharsis	2⅜-2½	

MISCELLANEOUS.

M.U.			
8/1½	Burma Corp	7/9-8/0	
8/6	Champ. Reef	8/3-8/9	
3/0	Chos. Corp	5/32-7/32	
1/3	Explor.(10/-)	1/3-1/9	
2⅛	Min.Sepa't'n	2-2¼*	
4/6	Min.Crp.Can	4/0-5/0	
8/0	Mysore (10/	7/6-8/6	
17/6	Nundydroog	17/0-18/0	
3/0	Ooregum	2-3-3/3*	
7/32	Panama Corp	3/3-4/3	
18/6	St. J.Del Rey	18/3-19/3	
6/0	San Fr'isco	5/6-6/6	
4/9	Santa Gert	4/6-5/0	
2/6	Tiron Ming.	2/0-3/0	
5/6	Trepca (2/6)	5/0-5/6	
15/6	Waihi Gold	15/0-16/0	−0/3

* Ex Dividend. † Ex Rights. ‡ Ex bonus.

THE MONEY MARKET

LOW TREASURY BILL RATE.

Tenders were received at the Bank of England yesterday for £35,000,000 Treasury bills. Tenders dated Monday to Saturday of next week at £99 10s. 10d. get about 17 per cent. above in full. The average rate indicated is just over 1⅔ per cent., which is the lowest rate since April 20, 1923.

Conditions in the short loan market yesterday were quite comfortable, the general charge for advances until to-day being 1½ per cent.

Bank Rate Discount (changed April 21),						3%
60 days (fine)	1¾	1⅞%				
3 months	2	2 1/16%	Trade	3	3½%	
4 "	2	2⅛%	"	3¼	3½%	
6 "	2	2¼%	"	3½	4%	
Loans to Brokers Day-to-day						1½%
" for a week				2		1½%
Deposit Allowances: Banks at Call						1%
" Discount Houses at Call						1%
" " at Notice						1¼%

In the discount market the tendency was again easier on the Treasury bill results. Fine three months' maturities were called 2 to 2 1/16 per cent., while the hot Treasuries were offered at 1⅞ per cent. The banks were buyers of May bills at 1⅞ per cent. and of June maturities at 1⅞ per cent.

Silver rose 1/16d. further on China buying to 17d. per ounce for spot and 17 1/16d. for forward delivery. Gold was 7d. higher at 110s. 6d. per ounce fine. About £40,000 was in the market, and of this £15,000 was taken for the Continent and the balance by the unknown buyer.

Sterling in terms of the principal gold currencies was rather more active than of late in the Foreign Exchange Market yesterday. Dollars were quoted during the day between 3.72½ and 3.76½, and finished 1½c. firmer on balance at 3.74¾. The Canadian rate fell by 1½c. to 4.17. Among the European exchanges, francs were finally quoted at 95 3/16, as compared with 95 7/16. Reichsmarks closed at 15.75, as against the previous finish of 15.82½. Both the Italian lire and the pesetas were dearer at the close, the former at 72¾ and the latter by 3/16 points at 48. A weaker tendency developed in the Scandinavian group. Sterling on Stockholm closed at 20⅜ as against 20 3/16, and Oslo at 20.35 as compared with 20 3/16. Argentine dollars were 1/16 dearer at 36¼. Among the Far Easterns, Japanese yen fell by 1/16d. to 21d.

Centre	April 22 Closing Rates		April 21 Closing Rates		Par Exch
New York	3.74½	3.75	3.76	3.76½	4.86⅔
Montreal	4.16½	4.17½	4.18	4.19	4.86⅔
Amsterdam	9.24	9.27	9.27	9.30	12.10
Berlin	15.70	15.80	15.80	15.85	20.43
Brussels	26.70	26.80	26.80	26.90	35.00
Copenhagen	18.20	18.30	18⅜	18 7/16	18.159
Geneva	19.25	19.35	19.30	19.40	25.2215
Madrid	47⅞	48⅛	48⅛	48 5/16	25.22
Milan	72⅝	72⅞	73	73¼	92.46
Oslo	20.20	20.30	20⅛	20¼	18.159
Paris	95⅛	95¼	95⅜	95½	124.21
Stockholm	20 5/16	20 7/16	20⅛	20¼	18.159
Alexandria	97⅜	97⅝	97⅜	97⅝	97.5
Athens	290	310	290	310	375
Helsingfors	210	220	210	220	193.23
Lisbon	109½	110½	109¼	110¼	110
Prague	126	127	126½	127½	164.25
Vienna	30	34 nom	30	34 nom	34.58½
Warsaw	33	34	33	34	43.38
B. Ayres	36	36¼	36	36⅜	47.57d
Lima 90 dys	13.55 nom		13.55 nom		17.38
Mexico*	11.21		11.26½		9.76
M'video*	28	30 nom	28	30 nom	51¼d
Rio de Jan.	4⅛	4⅜	4⅛	4⅜	5.899
Valparaiso	nom		nom		40
Calcutta	17 15/32	18	17 31/32	18 1/32	18d
Hongkong	—		—		
Kobe p.yn	20 15/16	21 1/16	21	21⅛	24.58
Shanghai*	19¼	20⅝	19⅝	20 5/16	
Singapore*	27⅛	27⅞	27⅛	27⅞	28d

* Rate quoted on London.

"A small D.W.D. for me—Oh Yeh."—(Advt.).

DUBLIN BUSINESS DONE.

FUNDS STEADY. BANK STOCK AND GUINNESS UNCHANGED. SHELLS WEAK. INDUSTRIALS IDLE.

In Funds, National Loan repeated 103, Second Loan eased ⅛ at 102¼, ditto Deed ⅞ at 102¼, and Third ditto repeated 93⅞. Land Bonds rose ½ at 97¼, ditto (small lots under £200) ⅜ at 97, 5 p.c. War Loan ⅜ at 103½ after 103¼ and 103⅝, and ditto Deed was 1/16 lower at 103⅛. Victory Bonds repeated 98, and Land Stock (1921) hardened 1½ at 73½ after 73¼.

Bank of Ireland at 309 and Munster and Leinster at 5 9/16 were unchanged. National shed 1½d. at 46s.

Guinness unaltered at 76s. 4½d. after 76s. 3d. and 76s. 6d., and Power Pref. repeated 12s. 6d.

B. and I. Pref. unchanged at 12s. 6d.

In Rails, Great Northern Debs. lost 1 at 49. Great Southern Guaranteed rose 1 at 31, and the Debs. ¼ at 45¼.

Dublin Tramways Pref. fell 1s. 4½d. at 151s. 3d., and the "B" Debs. were 1/16 better at 71.

Alliance Gas improved 1/16 at 10½.

Among Industrials, "Bats," eased 1½d. at 75s., Goulding 7½d. at 67s. 10½d., and the Prefs. unchanged at 81s. 6d. Helys Pref. at 20s., Irish Civil Service P.B.S. at 31, and *Irish Times* 5¼ p.c. Pref. at 55s. were unaltered. Dockrell Pref. put on 1½d. at 11s. 9d., and Merchants' Warehousing 1s. at 38s. 6d. Lever 7 p.c. Pref. repeated 23s. 6d., and Shells fell 3s. 1½d. at 31s. 6d.

"Other business done" will be found at foot of annexed table.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS.

Nat. Loan ....(103)	103	Dockrell Pf.(11/7½)	11/9
Second Ln..(102¼)	102¼	Dublin Art. Dwellings (12¼)	12¼
Do. Deed...(103)	102⅞	Dunlops (9/3)	8/10½b 9/1¼a
Third Loan....(93⅞)	93⅞	Fine Spinners (15/3)	14/-b 14/6a
Land Bonds (96¾)	97½ *¼	Goulding Ord. (68/6)	67/10½
Do. (small lots under £200)....(96¾)	97	Do. Pref.....(81/5)	81/6
Consols (60⅞)	60¾b 60⅞a	Hely's Pref...(20/-)	20/-
5% War Loan (103½)	103¼ *⅝ *½	Chemicals (14/10½)	14/10½b 15/1½a
Do. Deed.(103⅞)	103⅜	Do. Def.(4/1)	3/9b 4/-a
Victory Bonds...(98)	98	Imp. Tobac. (78/6)	78/-b 78/9a
Land Stock 1921 (72)	73½ *¼	Irish Civ. Ser. P.B.S. (31)	31
Bank Stock..(309c)	309c	Irish Times 5¼% Pref. (55/-)	55/-
Mun. & Lein....(5⅛)	5⅛	Lever 7% Pref. (23/6)	23/6
National ....(46/1¼)	46/-	Merch. Warehouse (37/6)	38/6
Guinness (76/4½)	76/3 *6/6 *6/4½	Metropole Hotel (11/10)	12/6
B. & I. Pref..(12/9)	12/6	Unilever (25/10½)	25/3b 25/9a
G.N. Ord........(8)	8a	Do. N.V. (25/9)	25/3b 25/9a
Do. Deb.........(50)	49	Vickers.(7/3)	7/1½b 7/4½a
G.S. Pref.(16)	15½b 16¼a	Chartered B.S.A. (17/1¼)	16/9b 17/3a
Do. Guar........(30)	31	Shells ......(34/7½)	31/6
Do. Deb.........(45)	45¼	Yam Seng...(11d.)	7d.b
Dublin Tram Pref. (152/7½)	151/3	Can. Eagle Ord.	5/0¼
Do. B Deb....(70⅞)	71	Westminster Bank (£1 shares, f.p.)	55/-
Alliance Gas...(10¼)	10½		
Ferrier Pollock Pref.	51/3b 52/6a		
Switzer Deb....(6¾)	6¾b		
Walpole Pref. (55/6)	55/-b 60/-a		
Brad. Dyers (19/6)	17/9b 18/3a		
B.A.T. ....(75/1¼)	75/-		

* Odd lot. a asked. b bid. c cash. (Last business done given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS' RATE.

Irish Banks' rate (April 21, 1932)	4 %
Loans on Government Stocks transferred	3 %
Deposits	1½%

The rates in the foregoing table are subject to variation.

STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Contango	May 2	May 23
Ticket	May 3	May 24
Intermediate	May 4	May 25
Account Day	May 5	May 26

BELFAST.

Belfast Exchange closed the week with a firm tone. War Loan Fives improved to 103, 103¼, 103½; 3½ per cent. Conversion, 84⅞; 4½ per cent. Guaranteed, 101¼; Ulster Loan 5 per cent., 103½; Northern Bank B, 45s.; ditto, 45s. (small); Corporation 5 per cent. 1945, 103½; Coats, 40s. 3d.; Guinness, 76s.; Imperial of Canada, 34s. 6d. (Thursday); Shells, 30s. 5¼d., 30s. 10½d.; Maypole Defd., 3s. 9¼d.; Australian 6 per cent. Loan, 82¼.

CORK.

Cash Ord., buyers, 17s.; Cork Gas, buyers, 5⅞; Cork Corporation Old, buyers, 76¼; New, buyers, 63¼; John Daly Ord., buyers, 52s.; Goulding's Pref., sellers, 81s. 6d.; Gresham Hotels, buyers, 8; T. Lyons' Pref., sellers; Musgrave 7½ per cent. Pref., buyers, 16s. 6d.; Robertson, Ledlie Ord., sellers; Ryan Pref., buyers, 5; Thompson's Pref., buyers, 92s. 6d.

SHIPPING NEWS.
(FROM LLOYD'S.)

FOREIGN MOVEMENTS.

Trito, from Belfast, arrived Hamburg April 21.
Slemish, from Barry, arrived Rouen April 21.
Skeldon, from Swansea, arrived Nantes April 20.
Silverlight, from Rotterdam, arrived La Rochelle April 20.
Amarapoora, Rangoon for Belfast, arrived Gibraltar April 22.
Sonnenfelde, from Dublin, arrived Flushing April 21.

HOME MOVEMENTS.

Neptunus, for Crookhaven, left Llanelly April 20.
Standard, Oslo for Cork, passed Isle of Wight April 22.
Pegrix, Hull for Dublin, passed Beachy Head April 22.
Theano, Belfast for Fowey, passed Lizard April 22.
Elvler, Tees for Dublin, passed Lizard April 21.
Varna, from Dublin, arrived Glasgow April 21.
Pladda, from Waterford, arrived Plymouth April 21.
Bellavale, from Dublin, arrived Liverpool April 21.
Oak, for Waterford, left Liverpool April 21.
Isault, from Crookhaven, arrived Cardiff April 20.
Cold Harbour, from Dublin, arrived Cardiff April 20.
Annaghmore, from Llanelly, passed Lizard April 21.
Bentry, Port Talbot for St. Servan, passed Lizard April 21.
Eskburn, from Drogheda, passed Dunnet Head April 21.
Sybil Mary, from Bangor, arrived Bowling April 19.
Mungret, of Limerick, passed Dungeness April 22 bound West.
Lady Wimborne, of Dublin, passed Dungeness April 22, bound West.
M. J. Craig, of Belfast, from Rotterdam, passed Dungeness April 22.
Penarth, for Dublin, left Falmouth April 21.
Barchill, for Belfast, left Falmouth April 21.
Vera, from Dublin, arrived Ardrossan April 21.
Montalto, of Belfast, from Warrenpoint, passed Lizard April 22.
Rusiris, from Cadiz (via Dublin), arrived Liverpool April 21.

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

DUNVILLE AND CO.'S LIQUID RESOURCES.

Formed in 1879, Dunville and Co. has a good record, and during the past decade has paid dividends ranging between 18 per cent. and 6 per cent., the latter rate being paid for each of the past two years. A week ago the directors intimated that they did not consider it advisable to pay an interim dividend in respect of the year to 30th September, 1932. For many years the interim payment has been 2½ per cent. The authorised and issued capital is £500,000 in shares of £10 each. At 30th September, 1931, the date of the last balance sheet, the cash item was included in debtors, stock, cash, etc., of £478,549. Investments, apart from shares in subsidiary companies, stood at £248,820, and comprised £143,782 5 per cent. War Loan, £98,938 4½ per cent. Treasury Bonds, and £1,100 Debentures in public companies. There was a reserve fund "A" of £100,000, a buildings depreciation fund of £93,000, and a reserve fund "B" of £167,495.

J. AND P. COATS.

In reply to an inquiry as to the date on which the result of trading of J. and P. Coats will be announced, the secretary states that the board will meet on Thursday, 12th May, when it is expected the accounts will be presented.

FIRST MILL DIVIDEND FOR TWO YEARS.

The directors of Atherton Mills, Ltd., cotton spinners, recommend the payment of a dividend of 1¼ per cent. (3d. per share), less tax, which will absorb £4,687. In addition, the directors state that they consider the time is opportune for the creation of a general reserve account, and have transferred £50,000 from the profit and loss account for that purpose. This is the first mill in the Leigh district to pay a dividend after an interval of two years. A message, published in *The Financial News* a few days ago, stated that a big improvement in the March half-yearly stocktaking reports of Lancashire cotton-spinning companies had taken place as a result of the expansion in trade which set in after the suspension of the gold standard in September last.

RAND PROFITS.

The cable issued by the Transvaal Chamber of Mines supplementary to its monthly output and labour statistics gives the estimated working profits of the mines of the Witwatersrand district for March at £1,125,671 and of the outside district as £74,607, a total of £1,200,278. This shows an increase of £67,056 compared with the result of the preceding short month, and of £49,261 upon the total for March, 1931.

DUBLIN STOCK EXCHANGE.

RISES AND FALLS OF THE WEEK.

The following are the rises and falls in stocks and shares dealt in on the Dublin Stock Exchange during the past week, as compared with the list price on Friday, April 15th:—

RISES.

	Price Apr. 15.	Price Apr. 22.	
National Loan	102½	103	+½
Land Bonds	97¼	97½	+¼
5 p.c. War Loan	102⅞	103¼	+⅜
Victory Bonds	97⅞	98	+⅛
Conversion Loan	83⅞	84 5/16	+7/16
Land Stock, 1921	71⅞	*73¼	+1⅜
Local Loans	68⅞	70⅛	+1¼
Dub. 5 p.c. Insc.	103½	104	+½
Great Southern Guar.	30	31	+1
Great Southern Deb.	44¼	45¼	+1
Alliance Gas	10¼	10½	+¼
Castlebellingham Deb.	55	56	+1
Courtaulds	30/7½	32/1½	+1/6
Dockrell Deb.	5¼	5⅜	+⅛
Dublin Tram Pref.	151/0	151/3	+0/3
Dub. Tran. "A" Debs.	60½	62	+1½
Goulding	67/6	67/10½	+0/4½
Imperial Tobacco	78/0	78/6	+0/6
Irish-American Oil	22/9	23/6	+0/6
Lever 7 p.c.	23/0	23/6	+0/9
Merchants' W'housing	37/6	38/6	+1/0
Power Pref.	12/3	12/6	+0/3

FALLS.

	Price Apr. 15.	Price Apr. 22.	
2nd National Loan	102½	102¼	−¼
3rd National Loan	94	93¾	−¼
Consols	60½	60 7/16	−1/16
National Bank	46/6	46/0	−0/6
Great Northern Ord.	8¼	8	−¼
Great Northern Debs.	51	49	−2
B. and I. Pref.	13/0	12/6	−0/6
Burmah Oil	43/4½	42/3	−1/1½
Cables "A"	15¼	14	−1¼
Chem. Indus. Ord.	15/3	14/10½	−0/4½
Coats	40/4½	39/9	−0/7½
Dockrell Ord.	8/3	5/0	−3/3
Dublin Tram Ord.	75/0	73/0	−2/0
Dub. Tram "B" Debs.	72¼	71	−1¼
Dunlops	9/10½	9/3	−0/7½
Fine Spinners	16/4½	15/3	−1/1½
Guinness Ord.	79/3	76/4½	−2/10½
Guinness Pref.	11¼	11⅛	−⅛
Irish Times 5¼ p.c.	55/6	55/0	−0/6
Irish Times 6¼ p.c.	12/0	11/6	−0/6
Shells	38/9	31/6	−7/3
Thom Ord.	25/6	24/2	−1/4
Unilever	27/6	25/10½	−1/7½
Unilever (N.V.)	27/6	25/9	−1/9
Walpole Pref.	57/6	55/6	−2/0

DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORT.

Barometer at 5 p.m.—29.70.
Wind and Weather at 5 p.m.—Westerly winds; light breeze.
Foreign Arrivals—Nil.
Coastwise Arrivals—Lady Leinster, from Liverpool, with passengers and goods; Slieve Bawn and Snowdon, from Holyhead, with goods; Cato, from Bristol, with goods; Lady Meath, from Liverpool, with goods; Lady Martin, from London and Cork, with goods; Dublin, from London, with cement; Guinness, from Manchester with empties; Gweeburra, from Belfast, with lubricating oil; Glencullen, Elmfield and Heatherfield, from Ardrossan, with coal; Alyn, from Birkenhead, with coal; Rowan and St. Fintan, from Whitehaven, with coal; Topaz and Emerald, from Blyth, with coal; m.v. Ryelands, from Skerries, light.

A Reuter message from Washington states that a resolution requesting President Hoover to establish diplomatic and commercial relations with Soviet Russia has been introduced into the House of Representatives by Mr. Adolph J. Sabath, Democrat member for Illinois.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

BRITISH CAVITY BRICK AND TILE WORKS.—The accounts for the year ended September 30 last show that profits amounted to £12,657, as against £13,162 for 1930-31, and after deduction of administrative expenses, sundry charges, and the addition of discount, rent, and sundry income, there remains a balance of £11,530, which compares with £11,351 for the preceding twelve months. After allowing for directors' fees, interest paid, and the expenses of the committee of shareholders, less interest and registration fees received, which absorbed £2,573, a sum of £2,936, in contrast with £2,926, is set aside for depreciation, and £1,000, as against £2,000, placed to income tax reserve. Reserve for legal, accountancy, and other expenses requires £2,500, leaving a balance of £2,520, which, added to the balance of £4,848 brought in, leaves a balance of £7,368 to carry forward. The dividend on the Preference shares is in arrear as from November 1, 1928.

BRISTOL BREWERY (GEORGES).—Interim dividend on Ord. of 7½ per cent., tax free, for six months ended March 31, 1932. (Same.)

DISTILLERS OF VANCOUVER.—Profits of Brewers and Distillers of Vancouver, Ltd., in 1931, amounted to $545,321, and mainly as a result of writing down certain spirits to market value, the final result is a net loss of $69,060. In 1930, the net profit was $867,380. "What would appear to have been a disastrous year," states the report, "on closer analysis, reflects, in view of the depressed condition of business generally, a somewhat more encouraging situation." Last year, there was an increase in the excess of current assets over liabilities of $1,044,943.47, and this year there has been a further increase of $86,700; current assets now exceed current liabilities by $3,659,412. Bank loans have been reduced by $458,396. Shareholders are reminded that during the past two years the company has not only been able to pay off bank loans to the extent of $1,115,999, to eliminate three competitors through joining in their purchase, but to replace in maturing warehouses all whiskies sold, and to show a net increase for the year of spirits on hand of 278,862 gallons. It has been decided that in the future semi-annual reports of the earnings will be supplied for publication in London.

EDINBURGH ASSURANCE CO.—The directors recommend the payment of a dividend of £40,000, and provision therefor has been made in the accounts.

EVER READY.—The net profit of the Ever Ready Company (Great Britain), Ltd., manufacturers of electrical specialities, batteries, etc., for the year ended March 31 last amounted to £332,485, as compared with £306,111 for the previous year. Reserves and carry forward is £694,120, compared with £612,375 for 1931. The directors recommend a final dividend on the Ordinary shares of 25 per cent., making 35 per cent. for the year, the same as the corresponding twelve months. The directors have decided to make an issue of Ordinary shares to the Ordinary shareholders in the proportion of one new share for each five shares held at the price of 10/- per share. As the present market price is around 24/-, this will constitute a good bonus. The full report will be issued on May 9th.

F. REDDAWAY AND CO (PENDLETON).—No dividend on the Ordinary or Preference shares. No dividend on Ordinary since 1929. Loss, £19,882.

GOODLASS WALL.—The directors of Goodlass Wall and Lead Industries, Ltd., announce a dividend of 2 per cent. actual, less tax, on the Ordinary shares in respect of the thirteen months to December 31, 1931. This is an initial dividend for the combined companies.

GARRARD ENGINEERING AND MANUFACTURING.—No ordinary dividend is recommended for the year to January, 1932. In the previous year 40 per cent. was paid. The loss for the year of £12,542 compares with a profit of £46,915 in the preceding period.

HORNE BROTHERS.—Net profit on trading of £58,978, against £63,268 in the previous year. The preference dividend is to be paid, but no distribution is to be made on the Ord. shares, which are privately held. A year ago 5 per cent. was paid on the Ord.

J. COMPTON, SONS, AND WEBB.—Final dividend of 12½ per cent. on Ord. shares, making 22½ per cent. for year, less tax, against 27½ per cent.

KINTYRE TEA ESTATES.—Interim dividend of 2½ per cent. on Ord., less tax. (Same.)

MEDINI RUBBER.—The accounts for 1931 show a net loss of £22, which, deducted from the balance of £4,371 brought in, leaves a credit balance of £4,349 to carry forward. In the preceding year there was a net profit of £118, while £500 was placed to taxation reserve. The last dividend was 12½ per cent. for 1929.

PYE RADIO.—Trading profit for the year ended March 31st last £131,514, against £77,521. After deducting directors' fees and depreciation, there is a net profit of £122,676, against £70,225. Dividend on Participating Pref. Ord. 10 per cent. (same), while Def. Ord. receive 125 per cent., against 100 per cent.; carry forward £66,103, against £20,193 brought in. The report says that the progress made continues to justify the confidence of the Board in the future prospects of the company.

PETER WALKER (WARRINGTON) AND ROBERT CAIN.—It is announced that no interim dividend will be paid in June. For the last five years 2½ per cent. has been paid in June, with a final of 5 per cent. at the year end, making 7½ per cent. for the year.

SOUTH WANARAJAH TEA ESTATES.—The report for year 1931 states that there was a profit of £2,547, as against £15,536 in the preceding year, while directors' fees waived, now written back, of £221, makes a total of £3,868. After payment of the Preference dividend there remains a balance of £3,088, which the board propose to carry forward. Last year the Ordinary dividend was 22½ per cent., and £3,000 was allocated to reserve fund.

SMEDLEY HYDROPATHIC.—Dividend of 1/3 per share, tax free, on Ordinary.

SINGLETON AND COLE.—A final dividend of 2/- per share, making 15 per cent., tax free, for year (same). £7,483 forward.

WAIHI GOLD MINING.—A dividend of 1/- per share, tax free, making 2/- for year (same). Forward £3,646.

YORKSHIRE CONSERVATIVE NEWSPAPERS.—A further example of the adverse effect of these depressing times is provided by the results of the Yorkshire Conservative Newspaper Company, of Leeds. This company, which owns the *Yorkshire Post* and other newspapers, has recently issued its results for 1931. These show, after providing income tax and directors' fees, a profit of £4,342, which figure compares with £29,470 for 1930 and £37,300 for 1929.

A BORSTAL BOY'S ESCAPE.

William Felton (19) escaped from the Borstal Institution, Portland, on Wednesday, and was still missing last night.

FLAT RACING SEASON.
Programmes for all Irish Meetings and for principal English Meetings for one week from day of issue appear in THE IRISH FIELD. Published every Saturday. Price 2d. Subscription Terms—Yearly, 13/-; Half-Yearly, 6/6 (Post Free). Head Office, 11 D'Olier street, Dublin.—Advt.

FOOD AND PRODUCE MARKETS.

Birkenhead—Cattle worse trade, Sheep and Lambs dull. Dublin—Firm and good demand, Eggs steady, Poultry quickly cleared, Salmon and Herrings plentiful, Cabbage and Lettuce very cheap, Grain dull, Hay at a Straw easier. Rubber steady. Fall in Tin. Copper easier. Wheat cargoes firm and dearer.

CATTLE.

BIRKENHEAD.—For the cattle on offer to-day a trade was experienced and late rates were readily maintained. Choice small heifers made 8½d. to 9d., steady weight bullocks 8½d. to, exceptionally, 9d., strong and secondary descriptions 8d. to 8½d., cows and bulls 5d. to 6d. A dull trade prevailed for sheep, lambs making around 1/2 and 1/3 per lb., sinking the offal. On offer 1,037 Irish cattle and 1,136 sheep and lambs.

Keep your Pigs and Lambs to **COSGRAVE, RANELAGH.** Highest Current Prices Paid —(Advt.)

GRAIN.

DUBLIN.—Trade shows little signs of improving, and even choice samples are cautiously bid for, secondary classes are very difficult to cash, and values are tending downwards. Irish white oats 16/6 to 17/6, extra 18/- and 18/6 barrel, blacks 13/6 to 14/6; Canadian No. 2 Western whites 15/6 to 16/-, Canadian mixed feed around 14/-, Russian whites mentioned at 17/-.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES (BALTIC).—WHEAT cargo market firm and prices the turn dearer following better overseas cables, but trade is restricted to spot operations. No 2 Northern Manitoba Pacific shipment 2nd May sellers 28/9, do. shipping/shipment 29/3; West Australian afloat and May 27/6, South do. afloat and May 27/6, do sailers afloat 27/6, Victorian May 27/6. Parcels held about a shade advance owing to the decline in sterling exchange. No. 1 Northern Manitoba Vancouver shipment May sellers 30/3, No. 2 do. 29/6, No. 3 do. 27/7½, No. 4 Manitoba Vancouver shipment May 27/-, No. 3 26/4½; No. 1 Northern Manitoba Atlantic shipment May 30/10½, No. 2 do. 29/3, No. 3 do. 27/10½, No. 4 Manitoba Vancouver shipment May 27/3; hard winter on spot 27/4½, South Australian May 27/6, do. South Wales bulk May 27/6, Victorian May 27/6, West Australian May 27/6 per quarter of 480lb. Futures market firmer following some improvement in c.i.f. quotations and easier sterling exchange. Quotations (per quarter of 480lb.)—Manitoba grade May 27/4, July 27/3, November 28/6; London grade June 28/2, September 28/5, December 26/5. MAIZE—Cargoes quiet, but firmer. Plate afloat sellers 19/6, new April 19/3, 25th April 19/6, April-May, also May-June and June-July 19/-. Parcels quietly steady. Plate afloat sellers 19/3 to 19/9 as to position, April 18/6, April-May, May-June, June-July and July-August 19/3 per quarter of 480lb. BARLEY quiet of sale. Parcels No. 3 Canadian afloat 22/6, Canadian shipment April-May sellers 22/10½, do. Vancouver shipment April-May 22/9, Plate 64-65 kilos shipping/shipped 23/6, Persian April-May 21/6, Karachi old crop afloat 23/6, do. new crop May-June 23/-, per quarter of 400lb.; Chilian May 23/3, April sellers 28/6, Australian No. 1 April 30/- per quarter of 448lb. OATS rather dearer for Canadian descriptions. Parcels Plate afloat sellers 15/3, April and May 15/-, No. 2 Canadian Western Vancouver shipment April 30/6, No. 3 do. 19/4½, No. 1 Canadian feed April 18/6 per quarter of 320lb.

MARK LANE CORN.—There was a fair attendance of millers at the weekend market, and moderate business resulted. Breadstuffs quiet, but feeders occasionally dearer. WHEAT quiet and easier. No. 1 Northern Manitoba ex ship, 33/-, No. 2 do. 30/6 to 31/6, as to position; No. 3 do. 29/9; No. 4 Manitoba, 29/-; hard winter, 28/3; Australian, 28/6 to 29/6; Russian, 26/6 to 28/- per 496lb.; English, 28/- to 27/- per qr. of 504lb. MAIZE quiet. Plate spot straight run 26/- per sack for country deliveries, and 25/- London area; country straights, 21/6 to 23/- ex store. Of imported, Manitoba patents, 25/6 to 26/-; Buffalo do. 26/- to 30/-; Australian, 31/- to 32/-; French patents, 19/6 ex store per 280lb. MAIZE firmer for near positions. Plate landed, 21/6; ex ship, 21/-; April, 20/3; April-May, 19/9; May-June, 19/9 per 480lb. Yellow maize meal, 16/6; f.o.t. London; yellow African ex ship to arrive, £5 2/6 per ton. BARLEY firm. Russian landed, 24/-; Plate landed, 28/-; Persian ex ship, 21/6; No. 3 Canadian Western ex ship, 23/6 per 480lb.; English malting nominal; feed 27/- to 28/- per qr. of 448lb. OATS firmer. Plate landed 19/6, ex ship 17/9; Chilean white landed, 26/-; No. 2 Canadian Western ex ship 21/9, landed 22/9; No. 3 do. 20/9; Canadian mixed feed landed 17/-, ex ship 16/- per 320lb.; English, 22/- to 24/6 per qr. of 336lb. MILLER'S WHEAT-FEED quiet. Broad digestive bran 7/-, middlings 6/7½, catfeed 5/6, ground oats 8/4½ ex mill per ton.

LIVERPOOL.—With the set-back in sterling exchange rates and better American markets, forward deliveries of wheat here showed a fair advance at the commencement of operations and rose afterwards fluctuated somewhat according to the offerings, giving way during the afternoon on easier late afternoon cables, but buying orders put on the finish. Business showed a steadier feeling and prices to improve. C.i.f. parcels wheat, Western Australian loading sold at 27/3, No. 2 Manitoba May quoted 29/-, and Rosario Santa Fe 64lb. May 25/3, c.i.f. parcels Rosario River Plate same afloat sold at 19/6, April 18/9 per quarter. WHEAT on the spot firm and dearer. MAIZE—Spot parcels steady at 4/5½ per central for River Plate. FLOUR steady at late rates. Graded wheat futures opened ¼d. to ¾d. per central dearer, then fluctuated within moderate bounds for some time, gave way during late afternoon, but closed ¼d. to ½d. dearer, under best, though ¾d. to 1d. over Thursday night. Values—May 5/2½, July 5/5½ to 5/7½ per central. Sales, 200 loads.

PROVISIONS.

LONDON.—BUTTER—The market has been depressed during the past week, and prices for most descriptions sagged under lack of demand. Continental production is increasing, and trade operations here were not of sufficient volume to clear recent arrivals. Retail prices, however, are attractive, and consumption fairly satisfactory, but for the moment most articles of produce are more difficult to vend, due probably to financial considerations. Quotations:—New Zealand finest salted 102/- to 105/-, do. unsalted 110/- to 112/-; Australian finest salted 102/- to 104/-, do. unsalted 103/- to 105/-; South African 96/- to 102/-, Argentine finest unsalted 96/- to 102/-, Danish 110/-, Dutch creamery unsalted 132/- to 134/- per cwt.; Dutch rolls 14/9 to 15/3 per dozen lb. CHEESE—This section is sympathetically affected by the dullness of other provisions, and prices have eased from all Continental makes. Dutch remains neglected. Quotations:—Canadian coloured 68/- to 72/-, white 68/- to 74/-; New Zealand coloured 62/- to 62/-, white 59/- to 61/-; Dutch Edam factory ranges from 36/- to 56/-, Gouda tuti cream 62/- to 64/-, factory 36/- to 56/-; South African coloured 59/-, white 58/- per cwt. BACON—Danish was in poor request, but most other kinds did well; the position is unsettled owing to the strike of transport workers, which has resulted from the unprofitable state of the bacon industry. Officially Danish reduced 2/- to 4/-, Dutch 1/- to 3/-, Swedish 3/- to 4/- per cwt. Polish and Lithuanian unchanged. Killings for the week—Denmark, 154,110; Sweden, 8,700; Poland, 22,079; Lithuania, 9,680; Holland, 15,704. Quotations:—Irish 78/- to 88/-, Danish 46/- to 52/-, Swedish 43/- to 48/-, Dutch 41/- to 46/-, Polish 39/- to 44/-, Lithuanian 39/- to 46/- per cwt. HAMS—American in slow demand at easy rates; English, as to weight, ranges from 108/- to 120/-, American short cut 66/- to 70/-, Canadian to 74/- per cwt. LARD dull and market weak. Irish being reduced 2/6 to 4/- per cwt., American hoses 38/- to 40/9, pails 45/3, cartons (1lb.) 45/3, do. (4lb.) 46/9; Irish bladders 56/- to 72/-, loose 56/- to 58/-; Danish bladders 40/- to 44/-, loose 36/- per cwt.

EGGS.—Markets quiet, some tendency easier, with ample supplies available. Quotations:—English (national-marked) specials 21/6, standards 10/6, medium 9/-, pullets 8/6, ordinary packing 9/3 to 9/9; Irish Free State nearly nominal; extra new laid selected 8/- to 8/3, selected 7/6, medium 7/3; Northern Irish 18lb. 10/3 to 10/6, 17lb. 9/9 to 10/-, 15½lb. 9/-, 14lb. 8/6 to 8/9; Dutch ranges from 6/9 to 9/3, Swedish 7/6 to 9/-, Polish 6/9 to 9/-, Belgian 6/9 to 7/6, Polish 5/6 to 6/7½ per 120.

LIVERPOOL.—BACON—In the weekly revision of prices in London Danish was unchanged to 4/- per cwt. lower, and Swedish reduced 3/- to 4/-, and at Manchester Danish showed 1/- to 4/- decline and partially 1/- for Swedish, but Dutch and Polish unaltered, with Irish steady. Danish leaned here now quoted 52/- to 56/-, lean 48/- to 52/-, prime 46/- to 50/-, Swedish lean 45/- to 49/- per cwt. Past week's killings were slightly lighter, though being 134,000 against 144,000 in previous return, but with further rumours of the lock-out in Denmark on July 1st offers sparingly and ask a premium on the official prices, Irish and Danish American bacon quietly steady. HAMS quiet, and American short cut quoted 65/- to 72/- per cwt. Shoulders quietly steady. LARD on the spot partially 3d. dearer at 38/3 to 40/3 per cwt. for American refined, and a fair inquiry reported. CHEESE quiet and favouring buyers. BUTTER 1/- to 2/- lower at 116/- to 120/- for Danish and Australian, and 105/- to 109/- for New Zealand and Australian. EGGS steadier at 8/3 to 8/6 for extra selected Irish hen, 7/9 to 8/3 selected, 7/3 to 7/6 mediums, and 6/- to 6/6 duck, per 120.

MANCHESTER BUTTER.—Danish official quotation nine 10 kroner lower. Top now stands at 166 kroner, 200 kilos, against 176 previous week, and 200 corresponding period last year. Continental makes show reduction in sympathy, and Colonial also easier. Market generally closed steady, Choicest qualities quoted:—Danish 116/-, 115/-, finest extra, Swedish 113/- to 115/-, Finnish 113/- to 115/-, New Zealand 106/- to 108/-, Australian 106/- to 108/-. BACON—Irish continues firm on short supplies. Danish somewhat irregular. Number ones 4/- and two 3/- lower, but threes 2/- dearer; Swedish twos reduced 1/-, but threes unchanged, Dutch and Polish unchanged. Irish nominal. Danish 47/- to 56/-,

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On View morning of Sale from 10 o'clock. Terms—Cash and 5 per cent. fees.

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IMPORTANT FURNITURE SALE.
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"MOUNT MERRION HOUSE," STILLORGAN RD.
TUESDAY, 3RD MAY & FOLLOWING DAYS AT 12 o'c.

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On View day previous, 10 to 5 o'clock. Admission to View and Sale by Ticket, 1/-. Terms—Cash and 5 per cent. fees.
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SALE, THURSDAY, 28TH APRIL, 1932,
ON THE PREMISES AT 12 o'c.
HOUSE AND FURNITURE.

"STONE HOUSE," STILLORGAN RD., DONNYBROOK
ON ABOUT 4 ACRES OF LAND.

"Stone House" is a handsome double-fronted, detached, non-basement Residence, containing ornamental porch, good hall, drawingroom, diningroom (spacious lofty rooms), study, 5 family and 2 maids' rooms, 2 bathrooms (h. and c.), fine kitchen with modern range, pantries, dairy, out-offices, large garage, hay barn, stabling, garden, 2 paddocks, and gate lodge.
The House is in excellent order, with wide staircase and handsome balustrade. The views over surrounding country are delightful, and the proximity to the city on the fine Stillorgan road makes the property peculiarly attractive.
Held under lease for 60 years from 1898 at £100 p.a. (There is reason to believe this rent could be purchased out.)
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On View Wednesday, 10 to 5. Admission 1/- to prevent overcrowding.
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PROPERTY SALE, FRIDAY, 6TH MAY, 1932, AT 12,
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NO. 19 LEINSTER SQUARE, RATHMINES.
WITH POSSESSION.

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ESTATE OF THOMAS J. LITTLE, Decd.
ELIZABETH LAWLESS, Plaintiff. ALICIA MARY LITTLE, Defendant.

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Detached, non-basement House, two storeys, with garden at rear; two side entrances, garage. (The wooden garages are not included.) Accommodation:—Two sittingrooms, four bedrooms, one of them having fixed basin, with hot and cold water; tiled kitchen, servant's room, pantry, heated linen press, electric light. Frontage to South Circular road over 200 feet. Held under lease for 65 years from 1st May, 1881, and under a further lease from the termination of the first-mentioned lease for 999 years, and solid indemnified against rent. Purchaser will not pay Auctioneers' commission.
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The Residence is approached by a long avenue, with Gate Lodge, and contains diningroom, drawingroom opening into a conservatory, six family bedrooms, bathroom, servant's room, w.c.'s, pantries, kitchen, etc. The Offices are in an enclosed yard.
Attention is drawn to the benefits conferred on leaseholders by the Landlord and Tenant Act, 1931.
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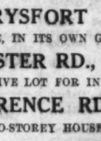

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"THE HOUSEFINDER," 17 D'OLIER ST.
PROPERTY AUCTION, TUESDAY 17TH MAY.
AT "MacARTHUR HOUSE," 17 D'OLIER STREET, ONE O'CLOCK.

RESULT OF LAST AUCTION.

"THERE WAS A LARGE ATTENDANCE AT 'MacARTHUR HOUSE,' D'OLIER STREET, ON TUESDAY, 12th, WHEN ALBERT MacARTHUR, 'THE HOUSEFINDER,' SUCCESSFULLY SOLD ALL PROPERTY OFFERED. THERE WAS KEEN BIDDING IN EVERY CASE, WHICH TENDS TO SHOW A HEALTHY TONE IN THE DUBLIN HOUSE PROPERTY MARKET. THE PROPERTIES SOLD WERE—'MERVUE,' 192 CLONTARF ROAD; 28 ASHDALE ROAD, TERENURE; 39, 40, 41 ROYAL CANAL BANK, PHIBSBOROUGH; 185 PHIBSBOROUGH ROAD; 'CHESTERFIELD,' KILLARNEY ROAD, BRAY; 1 CLAREMONT VILLAS, KIMMAGE ROAD. THE DAY'S SALES REALISED OVER £3,750."

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